Railroads.

...INE AND MISSISSIPPI
...ILROAD.
...ay Tuesday, Nov. 15th, 1859, trains will run as ...ws (Sundays excepted):
LEAVE RACINE.
...M. Meeting at Clinton train leaving Chicago ...M. by the Chicago and Northwestern Rail... and arriving at Freeport at ... P.M.—in time for ...on the Illinois Central R. R. for the West and ...th—arriving at Freeport at 9:15 P.M.
LEAVE FREEPORT.
...M., on arrival of trains from Dunleith, and con... at Clinton with trains on the Milwaukee and ...R. R., for Milwaukee and Chicago.
...accommodation for Beloit.
...train leaves Beloit for Racine at 7:30 A. ...at Clinton with train on Chicago and North... ...forwarded to all points on the Mississippi River ...way by any other route, and with the quickest ...
ROBERT HARRIS, Supt.
...HOMSON, Gen'l Manager.

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...T CHICAGO RAILROAD.
...pleted and cars run from Chicago to Pittsburgh, ...connecting with the great
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...York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington ...the interior towns of Pennsylvania, New Jer... York, Maryland, &c.
...by taking this route, will have the benefit of ...market at no additional cost.
...checked through.
...the depot, corner of Canal and Van Buren ...
...—Morning Express, daily (Sundays excepted). ...—Night Express, daily (Saturdays excepted.)
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...trains connect at Forest with trains on Mad ...to Springfield, Urbana, Dayton and Cincinnati. ...at Lima for Dayton and Cincinnati direct. ...E AS LOW AS ANY OTHER ROUTE ...bound East will find this route both pleasant ...passing through many of the largest and ...in the United States.
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E. F. PATRICK, Ticket Agent.
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...Gen'l Freight Ag't, Chicago.

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RAILROAD.
...November 14th, 1859, Trains will leave at 7:15 am ...for Milwaukee and intermediate stations, ...La Crosse and Milwaukee Railroad. ...Accommodation train leaves at 4:30 p.m.
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JOHN F. TRACY, Superintendent.
...ST. JOHN, General Ticket Agent.

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...tral Short Line Route
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CLARKE & CO.,
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...and after the 7th of November, the Agent in Liv... of the Grand Trunk Railway Co. will contract from LIVERPOOL TO CHICAGO, at the follow... low rates:
...OODS, per ton measurement ... $34
...WARE, in cases and casks, per 2,240 lbs ... 29 20
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...from the country promptly attended to.

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...NY BAGS—Two or three bushels.
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...DRUGS, MEDICINES AND CHEMICALS,
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...sails from New York, on Thursday, Dec. 8th, touch... St. John's, N. F., to receive the Royal Mails.
...OF PASSAGE:—First Class $90; Second Class $75 ...Class $30, including free tickets to the principal cities ...main lines of railway in Great Britain and Ireland. ...class must provide plate, knife, fork, water can and ...
...First Cabin passage to St. Johns ... $35
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...DE TO ORDER IN THE LATEST STYLE.
...Manner. All goods warranted as represented. ...making their purchases here may depend upon ...
...great variety of Youth's and Children's Clothing, ...styles and qualities. ...the number, 131 Lake street.
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...CARRIAGE REPOSITORY, 33 & 34 Frank... (between Lake and Randolph-sts.) Chicago, Illi... keeps constantly on hand a good assortment of new ...Carriages, of all styles. Carriages stored ...
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TWO MORE BALLOTS.

Two ballots were had in the House yesterday, with the following results:

SEVENTH BALLOT.

Necessary to choice	114
Sherman, Rep	96
Bocock, Dem	88
Gilmer, Am	36
Scattering	9

EIGHTH BALLOT.

Necessary to choice	115
Sherman	111
Bocock	83
Boteler, American Disunionist	25
Scattering	9

The withdrawal of Gilmer, moderate American, and the substitution of Boteler, does not seem to have any other effect than to diminish Bocock's vote. It undoubtedly was the object of the Democracy in their caucus last night to bring their men up to casting their votes for Boteler to-day. If they succeed in this, we are of the opinion that the contest will be decided before night; because we take it to be beyond dispute that Boteler's nomination will force all the Anti-Lecompton Democrats, and perhaps Winter Davis, of Maryland, and Etheridge, of Tennessee, to vote for Sherman outright, rather than assist in the election of an avowed Disunionist, such as Boteler is. If our conjectures are well founded, Sherman will be Speaker. It is possible that the Democracy will fail to agree—that all of the members cannot be so manipulated as to support a Disunionist and Know Nothing in the same person. If so, a new programme, of which we have no inkling, must be arranged.

FROM WASHINGTON.

[Special Correspondence of the Press and Tribune.]
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.

Two days of the second week are gone and not one step of advance has been made towards an organization. As old Brown said, "It is all talk and no cider." Under all the provocation, the Republican phalanx preserves its imperturbable gravity. During all the exciting scenes, they have maintained their temper; they have never uttered a provocative word; they have returned silence for invective, and smiles for frowns. They have sat calmly and quietly when abuse and calumny were heaped upon them. A conscious rectitude of purpose fortified them against those assaults. When taunted for their silence, they have replied, that all debate before organization was out of order, and all proceedings or resolutions prior to the election of a Speaker were null and void. "Let us organize the House, and then we will debate with you to your heart's content; we will answer your questions; we will reply to your arguments; we will tell you all about our purposes and principles; but all these things are out of order and illegal before members have organized the House, put on their official robes, presented their credentials and taken their oaths to support the Constitution." This is the constant reply from our side, and every fair-minded man will sustain them in their course.

The Democrats are clearly the disorganizers and mobocrats ever since the opening day of the session, and they begin to see the consequences of their unprecedented and revolutionary conduct. They seek to escape from it, and roll the responsibility upon others. To-day Gov. McRae, of Miss., in a set speech, undertook to prove that the little minority parties—the South Americans and Anti-Lecomptonites—were alone to blame for the non-organization, because they refused to take sides between the candidates of the two great parties, and vote for one or the other. The Republicans he said, only lack six votes of a majority over over all, and the Democrats lack twenty-seven, and that it was for the thirty-one votes belonging to the two factions to say who should be Speaker. This was an admission from a leader of the Democrats, that no part of the blame rested on the Republicans. But Gov. McRea forgot to say that his party had only permitted two ballots to be taken since the first day of the session—that no vote had been taken since Friday last. He knows that there are six Anti-Lecomptonites who will "take sides" before three votes more are recorded, and cast them in a way to determine the struggle by electing a Speaker. Why does his side resist voting? Let that question be answered. Let it not be said that the Helper book is in the way. There is no further reference made to Helper or his book on any side. Clark's humbug resolution is played out, and no other has been substituted. By the way, Helper's fortune has been made by the gratuitous advertising his work has received in the N. Y. *Herald* and in Congress. One news agent sold 200 copies yesterday afternoon in this city, at 50 cents apiece, and there have been over 1,000 copies already disposed of in Washington, and there are large orders from Baltimore for this book. It is finding its way into all parts of the South. A gentleman just from New York says that Helper has sent a splendidly bound copy of the unabridged edition to Missouri Clark, with a letter returning that gentleman his sincere thanks for the magnificent advertisements he has bestowed, free of charge, upon his "incendiary" appeal to the poor whites of the South, to vindicate their rights. He ought also to send one bound in gilt-edge morocco, to old Bennett for his services in extending the sale of the volume.

I was saying that the Republicans have entered very little into the debate, and how admirably they preserved their temper under great provocation. But they came very nearly breaking through their resolution when Gov. Corwin's conciliatory speech was met with derision and taunts, and when his earnest and patriotic appeal to the Democrats to put a stop to the disorganization, and let the House elect a Speaker and proceed to the business of the country, was mocked at, and the truculent little doughface *Cox*, was egged on to blackguard the conservative old statesman; once the Republicans lost their patience, and were on the eve of of opening their batteries and carrying the war into Africa. But the concluded not to resent, at this time, even that irritating and insulting behaviour of the ill-bred and unmannerly nigger drivers.

It is reported that an effort is still making on the part of the Administration to induce the South Americans to support Regan of Texas as a fusion candidate. It is said that 100 members have agreed to do it. But how to get the other 18 votes is the other question. I hardly believe that this scheme will work. Though it is true that the Democrats are making the strongest possible appeals to the sectional feelings and prejudices of the South Americans. "Give us an *United* South," is the cry, "and we can bring the cowardly North to its knees." On the floor of the House and out of it, these exhortations are pressed upon the Southern Opposition members. The Democracy itself is already intensely sectional in sentiment. Its Northern members are merely waiters, for the fire eaters who control the party. They declare before their Southern masters, like Logan of Illinois, that they are "ashamed" of their own States, but are *not ashamed* to do the "dirty work" of the South!

All the speeches made by Southern Democrats are filled with declarations about Southern rights, Southern interests, Southern privileges, and Southern demands. But no Northern doneck Democrat ever opens his head in regard to Northern rights, interest, privileges or demands. In the eyes of these unfaithful representatives, the great North has no rights which fire-eaters are bound to respect. They sit and listen while their section is maligned and its people villified, and answer only to bray an endorsement of the foul charges. There are sixteen of these despicable creatures who live in the West, holding seats in the House of Representatives, who are supporting a man for Speaker whose record proves him to be an enemy of every political right and material interest of the West. He is opposed to a Pacific Railroad on a central route. It would be unconstitutional for such a work to receive government aid, unless it is run through Texas and a Southern route.

He is opposed to the great and benificent Republican measure, the Homestead bill, because it would have a tendency to fill up the Territories with a white free labor population, and prevent the formation of new Africanized States. He holds that a free land bill is as bad as the Wilmot Proviso, and as dangerous to slavery. He opposes all appropriations for the improvement of the Rivers and Harbors of the West. He cares not if a vessel never again entered the Chicago Harbor, or crossed the St. Clair Flats. Indeed, he would rejoice if the commerce and navigation of the North were destroyed—anything that would cripple or kill off free labor, would gratify this champion of unrequited toil and hard whipped labor. He is opposed to any increase or revision of the tariff that would have the effect of helping Northern mechanics, or stimulating Northern industry; he defends the present oppressive, pernicious tariff, not because it benefits Virginia or the South, but because it inflicts immense injury upon the farmers and artizans of the Free States.

He wants to double the rate of postage on letters and newspapers because the South read but little and write less, while the great portion of the tax would fall upon the people of the North.

This man professes to believe that the Constitution carries slavery into all our Territories, and that neither Congress nor the people thereof can exclude or abolish it. He is in favor of a slave code for the protection of African Slavery in the Free Territories of our country. Bocock sustained the Lecompton Swindle from first to last, and is hostile to the admission of Kansas, because she is a free State. This man who is thus opposed to any political, commercial and material interest of the West is steadily receiving the votes of *sixteen* Western Representatives,—five of whom come from the free State of Illinois. What a disgraceful spectacle! Is there any creature under the blue arch of Heaven so *mean* as a doughface? The apology given by the Illinois Democrats for going over to the Lecomptonites is, that it might help Douglas to get the nomination at Charleston. That is the reason given by Morris, Robinson and Fouke. But Logan and McClernard, went over because they were not ashamed to do the "dirty work" of the negro breeders, as one of them avowed on the floor.

CHICAGO.

THE CITY.

HOLIDAY BOOK SALES.—See D. B. Cooke & Co's. advertisement and be ready to buy choice books at bargains next week.

☞ Harper's Magazine for January has been received by McNally & Co., 81 Dearborn street. Mac furnishes Harper, Atlantic, and Godey's Lady's Book for $2.25 per annum. Every one should subscribe immediately.

FOUNDLING.—A young Moses in a basket was left on special deposit yesterday morning at the hide store of A. N. King, Esq., on North Kinzie street. The police took the little stranger in hand, and it was sent to the Home of the Friendless.

AN OWNER FOUND.—The owner of the pocket-book and the $20 bill enclosed, has been found. The pocket-book was stolen from the pocket of his overcoat. He read our notice yesterday, and reclaimed his property at the City Marshal's office. What you lose, advertise; what you find always advertise.

WHO'LL PAY THE DAMAGES?—We notice a very dangerous entrance to the south basement store in Larmon's building, on Clark street south of Washington, corner of the alley. When somebody's neck is broken there, who'll pay for it? What city official is charged with the duty of looking after such pitfalls? or is it to be left for the City Attorney to defend in the case?

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—M. L. Dunlap, late of Leyden, in this county, sold the farm upon which he formerly resided for fifty dollars per acre, amounting to $7,500. The sale is on time with interest at eight per cent. The farm is well improved and considered very cheap at the above figures. The sale was made yesterday to C. Bigelow, Jr., of Leyden.

GREAT SALE OF HOTEL FURNITURE.—Attention is called to the advertisement in to-day's paper of the great sale of hotel furniture to take place on the 28th inst. The sale being by decree of court, will be without reserve. The furniture is of the best quality and in good condition. Great bargains may be expected. Persons desiring to furnish hotels or private residences, should not fail to attend.

CHURCH FESTIVAL.—Let our readers remember that the ladies of the First Baptist congregation, Rev. W. W. Everts, Pastor, give a Fair and Festival on Monday and Tuesday evenings, of next week, Dec. 19th and 20th, for the benefit of their Mission Sabbath Schools. The beautiful feature of the tableaux will be introduced, and both occasions every way made most attractive.

RECORDER'S COURT.—In this Court yesterday Joanna Miller was tried for setting fire to the house of one of her neighbors, Mrs. Beattie, and found not guilty.

The case of Arnold and Cody, indicted for rape, has been continued until next term.

John Abelle and Rodolphus Lehman were tried for setting fire to a dwelling house, corner of Erie and Peyton streets, to obtain the insurance.

THE GAS HEATING STOVES.—Just now the hint is a valuable one that bath rooms and other rooms where a fire is only needed at intervals may be speedily warmed by one of Shaw's Patent Gas Heating Stoves, without neither the dirt and inconvenience of fuel, and requiring no escape for smoke, the combustion of the gas being perfect. Hundreds of these are being introduced. They may be seen in operation at Walworth, Hubbard & Co.'s No. 233 Lake st.

MASONIC.—At the annual communication of the Garden City Lodge, No. 141, A. S. and A. M., held in Masonic Temple, Wednesday evening, Dec. 14, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Eben C. Hurd, W. M.; Henry M. Wilcox, S. W.; William B. Batcham, J. W.; Henry Staring, Treasurer; A. C. Bernard Haneman, Secretary; John W. Norris, S. D.; David D. Cornell, J. D.

THE WEATHER.—The following is the range of the thermometer for the week, as taken by E. L. O'Hara, Apothecary and Pharmaceutist, No. 30 West Randolph street, corner Canal st., Chicago.

Date.	7 A. M.	12 M.	6 P. M.
Saturday, Dec. 10	23	40	40
Sunday, Dec. 11	30	40	—
Monday, Dec. 12	22	35	21
Tuesday, Dec. 13	16	21	20
Wednesday, Dec. 14	18	29	26
Thursday, Dec. 15	14	32	27
Thursday, Dec. 16	21	38	37

AUDUBON CLUB.—Mr. McComas has [illegible]ed the lecture committee of the Audubon Club, that in consequence of pressing professional engagement, he finds it impossible to be prepared for lecturing to-morrow evening, and the lecture is therefore unavoidably postponed for a few days. The holders of tickets will please retain them. Notice will be given by the lecturing committee as soon as the hall can be again secured. The rooms of the Club have been thronged hourly for the last three days, and all have been delighted, the collection having been largely increased within the last month.

THE CITY MISSION.—Rev. Mr. Tuttle, having been engaged for several weeks visiting among the poor, sick and needy, as City Missionary, feels confident that the several charities which exist in the city, will prevent a great deal of misery, and which otherwise we should not hear of, the sufferers in some cases being of the class of our people who have hitherto been among the first to give of their means for the poor. He found in one case that two ladies were entirely destitute of food or fuel, and could only keep themselves warm by making use of their scant bedding. Two industrious, temperate men, want work at almost any wages—one to save himself and wife from the County House; the other, a single man, will do any ordinary work for his board. Apply to the Mission, corner Indiana and Franklin street, North Side.

THE NEW HOME OF THE FRIENDLESS.—It is not yet finished, but is now so near completion that we may congratulate the friends of this noble enterprise on their prospective speedy possession of a new and commodious structure, built for their especial use, and after plans designed by O. S. Wheelock, Esq., architect, and as the HOME OF THE FRIENDLESS, destined to be one of the most useful and humane of any of our city charities.

It will be remembered that, literally, at the foundation of this enterprise is the munificent donation of a valuable lot of land, the site of the present structure, deeded to the Home of the Friendless, a free gift by Jonathan Burr, Esq. The exertions of the friends of this charity have been arduous and unremitting, and they have now a building erected as above on Wabash avenue, below Old street, at an expense of $8,000. It is built of red brick, in plain, yet substantial and appropriate style, and in the most thorough manner throughout.

The arrangement within gives convenient suites of rooms for the officers and inmates. Two large dormitories, or lodging halls, are to be finished off and furnished respectively for the boys and girls. There are also single rooms and suites of rooms to meet every possible exigency or demand upon its accommodation from those it is especially designed to aid.

It will be finished early in February, and long may it stand the welcome and noble haven for the class it is designed to aid. It will prove the *Home* for the *Friendless*, especially those who by their sex and youth are incapacitated for self-dependence. The widow and her orphans, the friendless girl, the motherless boy, all are to find at the HOME welcome and the needed aid. But the matter has long been familiar to our readers, every one knows what the Lady Managers of this institution most covet in the charitable work they have embarked in.

We shall refer to the enterprise again at another stage of its progress, our purpose here is to note the advances already made for the especial purpose of reminding our readers that the HOME is not waiting or staying its errand of mercy, to wait the completion of its prospective abode. It is still at work and many mouths must be fed, many desolate hearts made glad through its agency. With all this, there is of course an expenditure which our benevolent citizens should come forward liberally to sustain. Let everybody remember the HOME, and and especially let everybody remember that it can disburse intelligently every form of charity. Send money, that is always in place, but send also old half-worn clothes, bedding, and any disused articles of apparel. If you can remember the HOME from out of your basket and your store, you will find a sweeter zest in what remains. We say to all our readers don't give to beggars. Discourage mendicancy, and let all your gifts flow into some one of the channels which intelligent Christian charity has numerously opened here. Among these the Home of Friendless pleads loudly and eloquently for aid. Let them have it, and the gift shall bless the giver.

SUNDRY MENTIONS.—Two John Smiths were separately and severally fined in yesterday's Police Court for getting drunk. For the sake of their family we thought of suppressing these names but then "duty as public journalists, &c."....The North Clark street cars have just been equipped with small stoves. A good idea these cold days, and profitable....The Police dock had only four cases yesterday....The next lecture in Bryant, Bell & Stratton's Commercial College Course is on Tuesday evening of next week, by Rev. Mr. Hammond....La Brun, a crack billiard player, made a run of 1,001 at one of our billiard halls a few days since.... Mr. Capen's "cold snap" hasn't come to hand. It is rumored that the delay of the President's Message has something to do with it....The New England Society in their coming Festival on the 22nd, are to introduce the feature of few after dinner speeches, and those good and pithy, also a poem, also the proceeds over expenses for charitable purposes....The *Journal* says two of the Douglas Delegates to the County Convention slept in the lockup the night after their North Market Hall exertions. Likely as not....The last car through to Cottage Grove on the State street line leaves at 9½ P. M.. The after-theatre hours car goes only to Ulich's Hotel....The weather is superb. So is the walking, and the town is alive with shoppers in view of the holidays....The auction sale of Barnum's damaged stock takes place on Monday at 79 Lake street....The ladies of the Church of the Holy Communion give a festival at Metropolitan Hall, on Thursday evening, Dec. 22nd, the proceeds to be applied to repairing their church edifice.

REV. MR. MCKAIG'S LECTURE.—We have already referred to the fact that Rev. Wilbur McKaig, of Jefferson street M. E. Church, is to deliver a lecture in the main audience room of the Clark street M. E. Church block, on Tuesday evening, on the subject, "The Ideal World." The speaker is one of our most gifted and eloquent clergymen, and is capable of giving his audience an intellectual entertainment of a very high order. It should be added that the entire receipts are to be devoted to the aid of the society of which this gentleman is pastor, who have recently engaged in very thoroughly and tastefully refitting their house of worship, and offer this opportunity to those who have a willingness to aid them, to do so at the same time they themselves receive a full equivalent in the lecture itself.

CHOICE BEEVES.—At Sherman's yards on the Lake Shore are to be seen five of the finest steers ever brought to this city. They took the premiums for the fattest cattle at the United States and St. Louis fairs, and are well worthy of their ribbons. Mr. John Sherman, the owner, was offered $1,000 for the lot by a city butcher; but like Oliver Twist he "asks for more." Yesterday, there were sold in the same yards, three heavy steers, at $5.00 per 100 lbs gross. They came from Kankakee county—that barren spot *where the people are all starving to death*.

HOME FOR THE FRIENDLESS.—Santa Claus wishes to notify his friends, young and old, that he will be present at the Festival to be held at Metropolitan Hall on the afternoon and evening of the 23d of December, for the benefit of the Home for the Friendless. Our good people will find there a variety of beautiful articles, appropriate gifts for the holidays, with plenty of good cheer for the inner man. Whilst supplying themselves with gifts for the coming Christmas, the generous hearted will rejoice to feel that they are also assisting in clothing the naked and feeding many a hungry little one whose lot has thus far been a sad and weary one, but who henceforth, we trust, in other homes, provided through this medium, can become prepared to take their places among the cultivated and good of the rising generation.

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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

—Church of the Ascension, (Protestant Episcopal,) on Oak street, between Wells and Lasalle, N. D., is open for divine service every Sunday at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M., and also on Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock. Sunday School at 1½ P. M. Rev. Wm. Fulton, Rector.

DR. N. L. RICE ON MORAL REFORM.—The first of a course of lectures on "Moral Reform," will be delivered in the North Presbyterian Church, corner of Illinois and Wolcott streets, on Sabbath evening next at half-past seven.

—The pulpit of the First M. E. Church, corner of Washington and Clark streets, will be filled on Sabbath morning by Rev. Dr. Foster, of the Northwestern University, and at night by the pastor.

UNITARIAN.—Rev. Geo. W. Hosmer, D. D., of Buffalo, N. Y., will preach at the First Unitarian Church, on Washington, near Dearborn street, to-morrow at 10½ o'clock A. M., and 7½ o'clock P. M. Parish Sunday School at 12 M.

—Public worship in connection with the Reformed Presbyterian Church, will be held to-morrow (Sabbath) in the West Market Hall, Randolph street, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. The public are cordially invited to attend.

FREE CHURCH, CORNER INDIANA AND FRANKLIN STS.—The Mission Church of St. Barnabas—Protestant Episcopal—will be opened for service and sermon on Sunday morning at 10½ o'clock. Sunday School at 9½ A. M.

CHRIST CHURCH, CANALVILLE.—Service and lecture Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Sunday School at 2 P. M.

—Bishop Ames will preach at the Owen street Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of Owen and Sangamon streets, on to-morrow (Sabbath) morning at 10½ o'clock.

SPIRITUALISM.—Mr. B. F. Ambler will lecture on Sunday, December 18th, at the Mechanics' Institute, at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Subject in the evening: The Destiny of the Religious World.

THIRD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. Daniel Lord, of New York, will preach in this church to-morrow morning at 10½ o'clock, and in the evening at 7½ o'clock.

☞ The M. E. Church at Platville, Ill., on Millbrook Charge, will be dedicated by Bishop Ames, on Thursday, Jan. 5, at 10½ A. M. All our friends are respectfully invited to attend.
G. W. S. SMITH, Preacher in Charge.

LOCAL MATTERS.

☞ Go to John Jones, 119 Dearborn street, and get your clothes cleaned and repaired. They will be well done and at prices to suit the times.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.—Gentlemen wishing to make their wife, sister, or daughter a handsome present for the Holidays should go to the new stores of Wamsley & Houston and secure one of those pretty Cloaks or Bonnets just received there. They also keep a large variety of Ribbonds, Hoop Skirts and fancy goods. Remember the No. 41 and 43 Clark street. de15-3t

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To Rent.

TO RENT—On Favorable Terms the Store and Basement, No. 252 Randolph street, under the Clarendon House, 100 feet deep. Will be rented to a good tenant. Apply to O. L. WHEELOCK, 77 Dearborn street, opposite the Post Office.

TO RENT—Two new brick Dwellings, on Michigan street, between Cass and Wolcott; three stories and basements, with all the modern improvements. Possession given January 1st. Also, Frame building, ... below Rush street Bridge—convenient and suitable for ... flour and provisions. Apply to B. CARPENTER.

TO RENT—The three story brick dwelling No. 122 Oak street, half a block West of ... street horse railway, will be rented low to a responsible tenant. The house is newly painted and papered throughout and supplied with water and gas. Apply to WM. GAMBLE, No. 3 Lind's Block, Randolph street bridge.

TO RENT OR FOR SALE—A new first-class brick dwelling, No. 500 Wabash avenue, near Twelfth street. It has twelve or fourteen rooms, with all modern improvements. Good brick stables. Will rent low to a responsible tenant, or I will sell. The most of the purchase money can remain for five or more years on bond and mortgage. Apply to
A. J. AVERELL, 229 Wabash avenue.

TO RENT—Possession given immediately—The Dwelling House No. 175 South Jefferson street, on the southwest corner of Jackson street. The lot is 100 by 100 feet, and fronts on two streets. The house is in good repair, has a planked cellar under the whole; two parlors connecting with folding doors; a dining-room, kitchen, pantry and wash-room on the first floor; five chambers, bath-room, store-room, attic and observatory above. Also, on the premises a wood-house, barn and carriage-house. Supplied both with hydrant and cistern water. Inquire on the premises, or of ARTEMAS CARTER, at 243 South Water street.

Boarding.

BOARDING—111 Wabash avenue—Board and pleasant suits of front rooms for gentlemen and lady can be had. Also, single rooms, and a few day borders can be accomodated.

BOARDING.—A Pleasant Suit of furnished rooms, suitable for Gentleman and Lady or a few single gentlemen, to let with Board in a small private family. Also, a few day boarders desired at No. 29 South Adams street, between Wabash and Michigan Avenues.

Money and Exchange

$10,000 TO LOAN FOR FROM TWO TO FIVE YEARS, AT LOW RATE OF INTEREST,
In sums to suit, if applied for forthwith.
GREENEBAUM BROS.,
No. 40 Lasalle street.

$50,000 WORTH OF first-Class Securities
Wanted for Investment
at ten per cent interest for five years.
B. F. DOWNING & CO., 52 Clark-st.

J. M. ADSIT'S
BANKING AND EXCHANGE OFFICE,
39 ... CLARK STREET, CHICAGO ... 39
Eastern Exchange, Gold and Silver for sale. The highest market price paid for Exchange, Gold and Silver.
Premiums paid for Eastern, Ohio and Indiana Bank Notes.

TELEGRAPHIC EXCHANGE
On New York.
Drafts, Acceptances, and Notes paid in New York on the day of maturity, or last day of grace, and money deposited for account in the city of New York, and sent to cities in the vicinity of New York, on telegraphic orders.
EMERY COBB, Telegraph Office.

MONEY TO LOAN.—I lend Money on Chicago Real Estate Securities running from six months to two years.
I Discount first-class Commercial Notes.
I negotiate three to five years loans bearing ten per cent. interest.
CHARLES H. HAM,
34 Clark street, Chicago.

Co-Partnership Notices.

DISSOLUTION—The Co partnership heretofore existing between Charles M. Dupuy and W. W. Mitchell, under the firm of Dupuy & Mitchell, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts of the firm will be settled up by Charles M. Dupuy.
CHARLES M. DUPUY,
W. W. MITCHELL.
Chicago, December 14th, 1859.
The undersigned will continue to give prompt attention to consignments of produce at the late office of Dupuy & Mitchell, No 1 Steel's Block, corner of Lasalle and south Water street. CHARLES M. DUPUY.
Chicago, December 14th, 1859.

DISSOLUTION.—The firm of HOWE & FOSTER is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The unsettled business of the concern will be arranged by Samuel Howe, who will continue the business of Storage of Grain in the Galena Elevator in his own name.
SAMUEL HOWE,
JOHN FOSTER.
December 7th, 1859.

DISSOLUTION—The Co partnership heretofore existing under the name of Walker, Bronson & Cole, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the firm will be closed by Charles H. Walker.
CHAS. H. WALKER,
T. J. BRONSON,
GEORGE C. WALKER,
JIRAH D. COLE, Jr.
Chicago, December 1st, 1859.
THE SUBSCRIBERS will continue the Business of Walker, Bronson & Cole at the old stand No. 20 South Water street, under the style and name of Walker & Brother.
CHARLES H. WALKER,
GEORGE C. WALKER.
Chicago, December 1st, 1859.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—I have this day associated with me Wm. H. ... and S. L. Underwood, for the transaction of a General Commission Business under the name and style of Watson V. Coe & Co. WATSON V. COE.
Chicago, December 1st, 1859.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm of BENJ. F. QUIMBY & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. ... settlement of accounts.
BENJ. F. QUIMBY,
JOSEPH M. LOW.
Chicago, Nov. 29th, 1859.

PURE WINES AND LIQUORS,
WEST INDIA
Preserves, Pickles, Sauces, &c.,
FOR THE HOLIDAYS,
FROM A. BINNINGER & CO.'S, NEW YORK.
FAMILIES SUPPLIED BY CASE OR BOTTLE.
W. HUTCHINGS, Agent,
167 Randolph street and 32 Randolph street.
Under the Revere House.

LEFT AT GEO. SMITH & CO'S BANK, Thursday, the 15th inst., a Memorandum Book, with black Pocket Book, containing ... Agreement, and Check dated City of Chicago on ... the Harbor Master, dated October 4th, 1859. Whoever will return the same to this office will be liberally rewarded.

Amusements.

McVICKER'S THEATRE.
Madison street, between State and Dearborn.
SATURDAY EVENING, Dec. 17.
A GREAT BILL & LAST NIGHT
—OF THE—
English Opera Troupe.
Who will, by general desire, appear in the favorite Drama of
ROB ROY,
WHICH IS GIVEN WITH A POWERFUL CAST,
And received on each representation with
UNIVERSAL DELIGHT.
The performance will conclude with the last act of the Opera of
MARITANA.
☞ Monday evening, benefit of Mrs. Marble.
☞ In active preparation FAST MEN OF OLDEN TIMES, THE DOT ON THE CRICKET ON THE HEARTH.
☞ Doors open at 7; Curtain rises at 7½ o'clock precisely.
☞ Box office open from 10 o'clock A. M. till 3 o'clock P. M., when seats can be secured three days in advance.
PRICES OF ADMISSION—Parquette and Dress Circle, 50c.; Second Circle, 25c.; Lower Private Boxes, $5; Upper, $3.
J. G. SHERMAN, Treasurer.

THE IDEAL WORLD.
LECTURE.
REV. W. McKAIG will deliver his lecture on the above subject next TUESDAY EVENING, 20th inst., in the CLARK ST. M. E. CHURCH.
The proceeds are for the improvement of the Jefferson Street Church. Admission 25 cents.

AUDUBON CLUB.—
LECTURE AND EXHIBITION.
A Lecture will be delivered
At Metropolitan Hall,
On SATURDAY EVENING, Dec. 17th, before the Chicago Audubon Club, by Ex-Gov. McCOMAS.
Subject—AUDUBON.
The rooms of the Club will be thrown open to the holders of tickets from Wednesday at 9 A. M. until Saturday afternoon.
Tickets 25 cents. To be had of A. S. Evans, 95 Clark street.

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LECTURES
ON THURSDAY EVENINGS,
AT METROPOLITAN HALL.
SERIES TO CONSIST OF TWELVE LECTURES.
The following gentlemen are engaged to lecture:
HON. H. J. RAYMOND,
RALPH WALDO EMERSON,
REV. T. STARR KING,
MORTIMER THOMPSON,
BAYARD TAYLOR,
REV. E. H. CHAPIN,
PROF. E. L. YOUMANS,
REV. T. W. HIGGINSON,
DR. J. G. HOLLAND,
GEO. SUMNER.
☞ Tickets may be obtained at the stores of S. B. Wells, D. B. Cooke & Co., and S. C. Griggs; at the Richmond, Tremont and Briggs houses, and of the Librarian at the rooms of the society in Portland Block.
H. W. KING, C. L. THOMAS, F. L. SHERMAN, Lecture Committee.

METROPOLITAN HALL.
Christmas Gift Concert,
WEDNESDAY EVENING, DEC. 21st.
For which occasion has been engaged the
World-Renowned
MONS. BLONDIN,
Whose recent Wonderful Exploits at Niagara Falls have engaged so much of the public attention. He will perform some of the following UNPARALLELED FEATS upon a TIGHT ROPE, never attempted by any other person: GRAND EVOLUTIONS, SOMMERSAULTS, Backwards and Forwards over Burning Candles; the wonderful CHAIR FEAT and Evolutions without the aid of a Pole. Also, the GREAT WHEELBARROW FEAT, ... Feat, Tambourine Feat, Flag Feat, Tight Rope Feat, &c. He will also make a GRAND ASCENSION from the Stage to the Further Limits of the Gallery.
During the Ascension MONS. BLONDIN will repeat many of the Feats performed recently over the boiling chasm of the Niagara.
The following will also appear:
MR. DePASSIO,
MISS GEORGIANA DEAN,
Vocalist and Harpist,
MR. HUNNEMEN,
Violinist.
And the entire
LIGHT GUARD BAND,
Enlarged for this occasion.
Particulars in Programmes.
After the Concert the following VALUABLE GIFTS (which are warranted as represented,) will be distributed among the audience in the same manner as at the last Concert:

1	Splendid seven octave Piano	$400
[illegible]	Hunting case English pat. lever Gold Watches	[illegible]
[illegible]	do do do Silver do	[illegible]
[illegible]	Gents heavy Guard Chains	[illegible]
[illegible]	Ladies Lockets	[illegible]
[illegible]	Setts enameled Locket Pin and Ear Drops	[illegible]
[illegible]	do Cameo do do do	[illegible]
[illegible]	do Florentine do do do	[illegible]
[illegible]	do Gold Stone do do do	[illegible]
[illegible]	Swing Cameo Pins	[illegible]
[illegible]	Meerschaum Pipes and Stems, warranted genuine	[illegible]
[illegible]	Setts Knives and Silver Plated Forks	[illegible]
[illegible]	Silver Plated Spoons	[illegible]
[illegible]	Double Lockets	[illegible]
[illegible]	Meerschaum Cigar Holders	[illegible]
[illegible]	Setts silver-Plated Tea Spoons	[illegible]
[illegible]	Silver-Plated Butter Knives	[illegible]
[illegible]	Finger-Rings	[illegible]
[illegible]	Setts Shirt Studs or Sleeve Buttons	[illegible]
[illegible]	Pure Silver Thimbles	[illegible]

TICKETS LIMITED TO 3,000 at $1.50 EACH, to be had only at ROOT & CADY'S Music Store, 95 Clark-st., where the articles can be seen.
The list of the drawing numbers will be published in one of the leading papers the day following. Persons residing out of the City will have their address and the number of tickets recorded, and articles forwarded by Express. Address ALEX. SCOTT, Leader of Light Guard Band, Post Office Box 3600.
N. B.—Positively no postponement.

BRYANT, BELL & STRATTON'S Commercial College.
COURSE OF FREE PUBLIC LECTURES
... Evenings.
A series of Lectures comprising a variety of interesting subjects, will be delivered before Bryant, Bell & Stratton's Commercial College during the winter at the College Hall, in Larmon Block, by several of our distinguished citizens, who have kindly consented to participate in the arrangement, as follows:
Rev. Dr. S. H. CLARKSON, St. James' Church.
Rev. Dr. N. L. RICE, North Presbyterian Church.
Rev. Dr. Z. M. HUMPHREY, 1st Presbyterian Church.
Rev. Dr. J. C. BURROUGHS, President University of Chicago.
Rev. Dr. R. S. FOSTER, President Northwestern University.
Rev. H. L. HAMMOND, Editor Congregational Herald.
CHARLES H. RAY, " Daily Press & Tribune.
JAS. W. SHEAHAN, " Daily Times.
J. F. C. FORREST, " Daily Democrat.
B. F. TAYLOR, " Daily Journal.
L. S. EVERETT, " Daily Herald.
J. F. EBERHART, " Home & School Journal.
WM. B. OGDEN, I. N. ARNOLD, Dr. JOHN EVANS, Prof. J. W. ... BLANEY, THOS. HOYNE.
Admission Free, and our citizens generally are respectfully invited to attend.

DANCING ACADEMY, 195 Randolph street, corner of Wells. MADAME AKERSTROM is forming classes for beginners, and those advanced in dancing. All dances in vogue are taught; also, every variety of fancy dancing. Class for gentlemen, Tuesday and Friday evenings, from 8 to 10 o'clock. Ladies and children, Wednesdays and Saturdays, from 3½ to 5. Private instruction at all hours. Weekly Assemblies commencing Monday evening, 12th inst.

MUSIC! MUSIC!! MUSIC!!!
WILLIAM BURKHART,
LEADER OF THE GREAT WESTERN BAND,
Will give private lessons to a few Scholars on the Cornet and Violin. Apply at the office of the Great Western Band, corner Randolph and Dearborn streets.

MIRASOLE'S DANCING ACADEMY.
CORNER OF CLARK AND MADISON STS. (Entrance on Mad'n.)
G. Mirasole, in returning his thanks to his friends and patrons, has the pleasure of announcing that his Dancing Academy is now open for the season. The Children's Class under the direction of Madam Mirasole, is now open. For terms and particulars apply at the Academy.

General Notices.

FEMALE TEACHERS and NORMAL SCHOLARS.—There will be an examination of Female Teachers and of such as desire to enter the Normal Department of the High School, at the office of the Board of Education, 119 South Clark street, on Tuesday, December 20th, commencing at 9 o'clock A. M.
W. H. WELLS,
Superintendent Public schools.

JOSEPH SOBEY,
APOTHECARY,
No. 55 Kinzie Street,
(Having of late suffered from fire,) is pleased to inform his friends and the public that he has re-opened business at his old stand, and would be glad to receive a share of their patronage; thanking them for the past.

FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD.
A reward of $500 will be paid by the undersigned for the Detection and Conviction
Of the person or persons who Fired the premises of
HALL & WINCH,
Corner of Wells and Kinzie streets, this city, on Sunday evening last.
WESTERN WORLD INSURANCE AND TRUST CO.
149 and 151 South Water street.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that we shall sell on FRIDAY, the 30th day of December, 1859, at 10 o'clock A. M., at public auction, ... Randolph street, corner of Clinton, ... (each), supposed to contain ... and ... and ...
GRISWOLD & MAGNUS.

TO HOUSE-KEEPERS.—Please notice that our orders for "Bradstreet's Weather-strips" are very great, and all in want of them had better ... their orders ... We have ... any person who can ... Weatherstrip that can be properly applied ...
TRAVER & DAY, Agents,
No. 77 Dearborn st., opp. Post Office.

A BARGAIN.—Two Lots 25 ft. ... by 125 feet deep, ... for residences, ... Apply to ... FRUSHING, 83 South Clark street.

ELECTION NOTICE.—The Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Union Line Transportation Company for the election of Directors and ... for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company ...
T. O. CAMPBELL, Secretary.
Chicago, December 7th, 1859.

FOREIGN PACKING SALT in bulk, for sale by ... F. ANDERSON, ... South Water street.

PRESS AND TRIBUNE
ADVERTISING SCHEDULE
The following are the rates of advertising in the
DAILY PRESS AND TRIBUNE:
One Square, (8 lines agate,) one insertion ... $ 50
" " each subsequent day, (in all 8t.) ... 25
" " one week, (or 6t.) ... 2.00
" " two weeks, (in 12t.) ... 3.50
" " one month, (in 26t.) ... 5.00
" " three months, (in 78t.) ... 10.00
" " six months, (in 156t.) ... 15.00
" " one year ... 25.00
☞ A Schedule of Prices for more space than One Square can be seen at the Counting Room.
☞ All Transient Advertisements to be paid in Advance.
☞ All Changes charged 30 cents per Square.
RATES OF ADVERTISING IN WEEKLY PRESS AND TRIBUNE:
$1.00 per Square, each week, for first month.
... for each subsequent month.
$8.00 " for one year.

Auction Sales.

BY GILBERT & SAMPSON—
NEW AND SECOND-HAND FURNITURE,
SILVER-PLATED WARE, CARPETS, CROCKERY, AND HORSES,
AT AUCTION.
On Tuesday, Dec. 20th, at 9 1-2 A.M.,
We will sell at our Store,
82 ...... Lake Street 82
Part of the Furniture and Household Goods of a Family leaving the city, also a large and splendid assortment of new Furniture, of all kinds, comprising Elegant Parlor Suits, in plush and hair-cloth; Sofas, Tete-a-Tetes, Parlor Chairs, Ottomans, Piano Stools, Secretaries, Book Cases, Office Chairs and Desks, rosewood and Mahogany Marble top Center Tables and Stands, Hanging and other Hat Trees, Damask, Hair Cloth and Turkish Easy Chairs and Lounges, Ladies' secretaries, Bureaus, Dressing ..., ... and Oak Chamber Suits, ... Marble top Bureaus and Washstands, Cane Chairs and Rockers, ... Dining Tables, Wardrobes, Sideboards, Cottage and French Bedsteads, Hair and other Mattresses, Carpets, Crockery, Glassware, Mirrors, Cooking Stoves, Kitchen Utensils. Also, a choice variety of Silver Plated Ware, of all kinds. Also, at 11 o'clock, a valuable black PONEY, bird and gentle.
GILBERT & SAMPSON, Auctioneers.

GREAT AUCTION SALE
—OF—
Toys, Fancy Goods, &c.
The entire stock of Toys, Fancy Goods, Yankee Notions, &c., saved from the late fire, belonging to H. S. BARNUM, will be sold at Auction, commencing
ON MONDAY, DEC. 19th, at 9½ o'clock, at ... Lake st.
On WEDNESDAY we will sell to our citizens, Toys and Fancy Goods, exclusively designed for Christmas Gifts, at which sale the Ladies are particularly invited to attend.
Great Bargains are offered—Terms Cash.
C. H. KEITH, Auctioneer,
18 & 12 Dearborn street.

SHERIFF SALE, AT AUCTION,
BY GILBERT & SAMPSON.
ON TUESDAY DEC. 20, AT 10 O'CLOCK,
We will sell at our store,
No. 82 ...... LAKE STREET ...... No. 82
By order of the Sheriff,
A Quantity of Superior Furniture,
But very little used, and in good order, consisting of Sofas, Marble-top Centre Tables, Work Stands, Parlor Chairs, one elegant Trio, one splendid Secretary. Also, at the same time and place, a splendid assortment of all kinds of New Furniture and other Household Goods.
Also, at 11 o'clock precisely—A VALUABLE BLACK PONEY, kind and gentle.
Sale positive and without reserve.
GILBERT & SAMPSON, Auctioneers.

POSITIVE CLOSING SALE—
AT AUCTION OF
Carpets, Curtain Goods, and Oil Cloth.
ON WEDNESDAY, Dec. 21st, Commencing at 9½ o'clock.
JOHN WEST
Will positively close out without reserve the balance of his Choice Stock of
INGRAIN, THREE PLY, BRUSSELS AND
Velvet Carpeting,
CURTAIN GOODS, OIL CLOTH, ETC.,
At his Store, No. 111 Lake Street, up Stairs.
☞ The Carpets will be Cut in Quantities to suit purchasers.
Parties in want of Carpets will do well to attend this sale.
GILBERT & SAMPSON,
Auctioneers.

PUBLIC SALE
OF
CHATTLE PROPERTY,
HOTEL FURNITURE, &c.
Public notice is hereby given that, by virtue of the power of sale mentioned in and given by a certain Chattle mortgage, executed by Lewis P. ... dated the ... day of May, A. D. 1858, and given to William Walker, which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for the County of Cook and State of Illinois, ... And default having been made in the payment of a portion of the money ... I shall, on the 28th day of December, A. D. 1859, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Tremont House, in the City of Chicago, all and singular the goods and chattels mentioned and described in said chattle mortgage, being the furniture and property there used in the Tremont House, consisting of ... Bedsteads, Mattresses, Feather Pillows, Counterpanes, Blankets, Comforters, ... Carpets, Chairs, Tables, Bureaus, Sofas, ... Crockery, Glassware, ... Kitchen Furniture, ... and other articles ...
The sale will commence at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and continue from day to day until the whole is sold.
HORACE WHITE, Assignee of said Mortgage,
By J. T. HOYT, his Agent,
and Temporary Receiver.
Chicago, December 15, 1859.

WM. A. BUTTERS & CO.,
GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
76 - - Dearborn Street - - 76
A few doors North of the Post Office, Chicago, Illinois.
☞ Prompt attention given to the sales of all kinds of property at our Auction Rooms, or any part of the city.
We refer, by permission, to Messrs. Brown & Wilder, Gas Fixture Dealers; J. A. Smith & Co., Hat and Fur Dealers; ... Gilbert & Sampson, ... D. B. Cooke & Co., Booksellers; Rosenfeld & Rosenberg, Dry Goods; G. W. Gage, Esq., Tremont House; H. O. Bates, Esq., Liberty Bigelow, Esq.; William Price, Esq., Obediah Jackson, Esq.; Gossage & Roberts, Auctioneers; B. F. Carver, Esq., Marine bank; Chas. Tobey & Bro., Furniture Dealers, all of Chicago.

JOHN RANKIN, General AUCTION and COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 177 Randolph st., third door east of the Briggs House. Cash Advances made on Goods for Public and Private Sale. Particular attention given to out-door sales. Regular sale days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Ample Storage Rooms for rent at low rates.

Wines and Liquors.

W. T. SHUFELDT & CO.
MANUFACTURERS FOR
A. F. CROSKEY,
51 - - South Water Street - - 51
(Corner of Wabash Avenue,)
Distillers of
ALCOHOL, PURE SPIRITS AND WHISKIES, &
Also Manufacturers of
Domestic Liquors, Burning Fluid
—AND—
DEALERS IN HIGHWINES & RECTIFYING COAL.
☞ The Trade Supplied at Market Rates and on Liberal Terms.

ALCOHOL.—
PURE ALCOHOL, (90 per ct.)
On hand and for sale by
UNDERWOOD & CO.,
122 South Water street.

BOGEN'S DRY AND SPARKLING WINES
AT HALSEY & KING'S.

BOGEN'S PURE CATAWBA Brandy at HALSEY & KING'S.

JOHN JAQUE'S PURE CATAWBA and Isabella Sweet Wines at HALSEY & KING'S.

HALSEY & KING, 168 Clark street, only authorized Agents in Chicago for the sale of Bogen's and Jaque's Pure Wines and Brandies.

MAYFLOWER WHISKY.—100 barrels Fabian's celebrated brand for sale by
CORL, FABIAN & CO.,
107 So. Water street.

IMPERIAL WHISKY.—50 barrels Fabian's celebrated brand, for sale by
CORL, FABIAN & CO., 107 So. Water st.

SMITH'S OHIO WHISKY.—200 barrels, for sale by CORL, FABIAN & CO.,
107 So. Water street.

BANK SAFE.—One large Burglar and Fire Proof Safe for sale by CORL, FABIAN & CO., 107 So. Water street.

BRANDIES, WINES AND GINS.—A fine assortment of the above, warranted pure, imported. For sale by CORL, FABIAN & CO., 107 So. Water street.

RAISINS.—500 whole, hf. and qr. boxes Raisins. WM. LITTLE & CO.,
126 South Water st.

PRUNES.—25 kegs new French Prunes. ... new Turkey Prunes. WM. LITTLE & CO., 126 South Water st.

CHRISTMAS CONFECTIONS.
... boxes Fancy Toys,
... Gum Drops,
... Mint Lozenges.
WM. LITTLE & CO.,
126 South Water st.

TO COOPERS AND MILLERS.
... of well seasoned CUT STAVES, with ... suitable for ... For sale by JONES, CHANEY & CO., ... Block.

Press & Tribune.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1859.

THE WESTERN GOLD-FIELDS—A PRACTICAL SUGGESTION.

We are advised from various quarters of active and extensive preparations for an emigration to the Western gold fields next spring, and the evidence is too formidable to any longer resist the conviction that the movement will much exceed the disastrous one of the early part of the present year. While we question the policy of any save men of energy, business sagacity and considerable capital, going on this search for gold, still the fact that immense multitudes possessed of none of these requisites to success will be swept into the current, need not be doubted. The spirit of adventure, the love of novelty, the thirst for gold, and above all, the contagion of example and the power of excitement, will be quite sufficient to overcome the many columns of gratuitous advice, of prudent suggestion and unfavorable prediction that will be offered through the public press. The fact that there is gold there—that a considerable community has already grown up in its neighborhood, and that more intend to go, will outweigh every argument which prudence may suggest, to keep the multitude back. The rush across the plains in 1849, to the gold fields of California, was probably not greater than that which we shall witness to the head waters of the Platte in the spring and summer of 1860.

In view of this anticipated movement, we wish to make one or two practical suggestions. Assuming that the new gold fields are equal to the representations that have been made of them by competent and disinterested parties, it will not be denied that the emigration of the next season will prove only the beginning of that vast stream of humanity which will flow thitherward year after year, so long as gold can be dug from the gulches or crushed from the quartz. The planting of so large population in that region—the urgent and constantly accruing wants, the uninterrupted coming and going necessary to the transaction of business—would seem to indicate the absolute necessity for an early railroad connection between it and the Missouri River. The valley of the Platte up to the foot of the mountains is said to be second to no other district of country in its adaptation to the cheap construction of a railroad. We doubt not the gold fields will be reached at no distant day by railroad over this route. Now there are three lines of road in process of construction across the State of Iowa, all of which could be made to connect with a road up the valley of the Platte. These roads should be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible. Were either of them finished now, it would command the whole business between the Northern and Northwestern States and the gold region. All the emigration would pour over it. The great bulk of provisions, outfits and stores requisite to supply the wants of the people there, would be freighted by it; and its dividends would soon place its stock at the head of the New York share list. Of course nothing of this kind can be done in time for the rush of next Spring; but why may not one or more of the Iowa roads be completed to the Missouri in season for the business of 1861? We urge the matter upon the serious consideration of those most deeply interested, including in that number every citizen of Chicago who has an interest in its future prosperity. The trade of Western Iowa, of Nebraska and of the gold region may chiefly be diverted to this city. A wise foresight displayed in the early construction of the roads named would give us the advantage in the race over St. Louis. The valley of the Platte is broad and fertile. It is destined to speedy settlement; and its business is well worth the struggle necessary to secure it. It is for the different lines of road extending from this city and seeking the western boundary of Iowa as well as for the people of Chicago, to say whether they shall reap the commercial advantages which the discovery of the western gold fields has placed within their reach.

PATRONIZE CHINIQUY AGAIN.

The Kankakee *Democrat* of the 7th inst. (whose editor was conspicuous in getting up the recent indignation meeting in that town,) comes to us with nearly a whole page devoted to the PRESS AND TRIBUNE and to those citizens of Kankakee who have given their testimony adversely to the reported want and destitution prevailing in Father Chiniquy's colony at St. Anne. We find first an editorial article in that behalf; second, a long article from Fra. Achille Chiniquy; and third, another long letter signed "O"—the two last mentioned effusions being exclusively directed to the PRESS AND TRIBUNE and its reporter.

As for the editorial article referred to, it does not deny the allegation made by our reporter as to the actual condition of the people of St. Anne, but is confined to a statement, repeated in a variety of ways, that *Father Chiniquy* did not put the begging stories afloat. We apprehend this declaration will be taken with many grains of allowance by the audiences whom Father C. has addressed at the East. But that is not our affair. We stated to the best of our knowledge and belief, after a full investigation, that the St. Anne colony was not poorer than half the communities in Illinois, which would feel themselves insulted by a general begging effort set on foot in their behalf. If Father Chiniquy did neither originate the begging stories nor give them currency, we shall be glad to set him right in that matter. But we apprehend he will not feel grateful for the championship of the Kankakee *Democrat*. The surmise of that sheet that we are opposing Father Chiniquy for the purpose of turning the Roman Catholics of Illinois into Republican voters is too brilliant for our logic. We leave it to be enjoyed by Bishop Duggan and the *Western Banner* at their leisure. This joke seems to have been started by Fra. Achille Chiniquy, (brother of the apostle), for we find the same thing in his letter. He sees in the excellent gentleman whom we sent to St. Anne only a designing demagogue, bent on roping the whole priesthood of the Northwest into the Republican party—or, to use his own language, "thus gain the gratitude and exultation of his [Chiniquy's] Roman enemies who, to repay their new helpers for having crushed and ruined the great apostle to Protestantism, could be counted on as sure to vote for Abolitionism in 1860."

We shall not make words with the various contributors to the Kankakee *Democrat*. We place ourselves, as to the *facts*, behind the citizens of Kankakee who gave an opinion on the case, on the 26th ult. For ourselves, the testimony of our reporter is sufficient. For the public, that of the Kankakee meeting ought to be. In conclusion, let us ask the Kankakee *Democrat* and its varied corps of writers one question. What is the *present* condition of the St. Anne colony as to the necessaries of life? Do they actually need any more provisions, any more clothing, any more money?

ANOTHER CASE.

It seems that all the kidnappers do not live in Egypt. If we are correctly informed, there are some persons in McDonough county who are quite as ready and willing to engage in the "dirty work" of negro-catching as the representative of the Ninth District, and the jail of that county is as readily given up to their private and illegal use as that at Jonesboro is turned over to Jno. B. JONES and his gang. Some time ago, if we are correctly informed, a strange negro was seized by one of these fellows in the southwestern part of the county, taken to Macomb in the night, and safely lodged in the jail. He was kept there for several weeks without a claimant appearing. Finally the kidnappers succeeded in getting down to some from Missouri to claim him, who probably paid them a round sum for their "dirty work." Whether this man had really been the owner of the alleged fugitive or not we of course do not know; but we have good authority for saying that the negro, instead of being taken back to Missouri, was shipped South for the Southern States. It is not improbable that he was a free man, and that the professed owner was merely one of the kidnapping firm. At all events, there was no investigation had as to the rightfulness of his alleged ownership, and the victim has been placed where a legal right to freedom can avail him nothing.

We are further assured that this whole matter was managed with the utmost secrecy; that aside from the jailor, not more than two or three citizens of Macomb knew that such a person was confined in the jail, and that even now but a small proportion of the citizens of the place or county know anything about it. The secrecy observed by the kidnappers indicates a healthful sentiment among the population of McDonough County. Our object is to let the latter know what is going on among them—the illegal and disreputable uses to which their county jail, paid for by their own money, is being put. We trust this notice will lead to the investigation of the case alluded to, that the brand of disgrace may be placed where it justly belongs. Send us the names of the kidnappers; and of every person who can be proved to have had anything to do with the case. This "dirty work" must be stopped.

BIT THERE YOU ARE!

The Omaha *Nebraskian*, a fierce Democratic organ, notices a bill introduced in both branches of the Nebraska Legislature for the abolition of slavery in that Territory, and proceeds to argue as follows:

"Slavery does not practically exist in Nebraska, nor can it, without positive legislation for its protection. *Now, friends, then, is our time, the time of the General Assembly in the consideration of this topic.* We hope that our law-givers will have sufficient respect for themselves and their constituents, to confine their labors to matters clearly within the sphere of duty, and not consume the session in the agitation of a subject in which the people of this Territory are so little interested. We would most respectfully remind the assembled wisdom of the Territory, that none of them were elected for the purpose of exorcising so doubtful a prerogative as the abolition, prohibition or establishment of slavery. The 'let alone policy' is, in our judgment, the most commendable, particularly when naught but mischief can arise from ill-timed and injudicious agitation."

Thus it appears that the cardinal principle of Democracy (at least, of Northwestern Democracy), *outside of the Territories* is, to leave the question to the *people of the Territories*, and force the Territories to "let it alone"! This is the point at which we have been driving for five years. We are anxious to see whether the Democratic Legislature of Nebraska will follow the suggestion of their central organ and exponent in the matter of this harmless bill for the abolition of slavery. It would occupy about five minutes in each House to enact the proposed law, and if there is no slavery in Nebraska and can be none, it will demonstrate the sincerity of the party and close the mouths of the "Black Republican" cavillers, at the same time working no harm to anybody. But we have had evidence within a year that slavery *does exist* in Nebraska, or that a strong effort has been made to give it existence there. Our readers will remember the drunken crusade made by a gang of rowdies from Nebraska City into Fremont county, Iowa, for the purpose of arresting a number of fugitive slaves reported to have escaped from Nebraska City to Tabor. If the effort of Messrs. Taylor and Collier in the Nebraska Legislature were directed solely to the prevention of such disgraceful performances as this in the future, we should say that the time was well spent which was given to the enactment of their bill.

We call upon our friends at Omaha to hold the Democracy squarely up to this issue. Let them vote down or smother the bill if they dare!

Crime and Misfortune.

There was a time years ago—as the world had grown to "enlightened" as it is—when society had not begun to measure out its punishments to every one's vocabulary a distinct—not opposite, meaning. But in these "smart, go-ahead times," we have changed all that, and they are now coming to be regarded as synonymes. *Crime*, if we may believe some of the *soi-disant* philanthropists of the day, is too blunt and harsh a word to be applied to such little eccentricities as theft and rape, arson and murder. It is the force of circumstances, irresistible and overwhelming, and not any inherent *depravity*, or delight in "rolling sin as a sweet morsel under the tongue," that urges men to become villains—or, as they are termed in the new-fashioned phraseology, "*poor unfortunates.*" The foibles and peccadilloes of which they are unhappily the subject —and which, it must be confessed, work some inconvenience to the community—are owing mainly, not to any fault of their own (for Heaven knows with what an intense longing their soul's yearn for virtue's path!) but to erroneous education, lack of sympathy, and the ceaseless slights, persecutions, or contemptuous treatment which they have received at the hands of their fellow men. The vilest men are not wholly vile; did not even Nero, at one period of his life, weep at the sight of a dead gladiator? Never has he had ever known to read or write? "Judge not, lest ye be judged," cry the professors of this new-fangled philanthropy, when one gives vent to his indignation against the robber or murderer, and calls villains and miscreants by their right names—as if it were the intent of the text, not to warn us against rash, presumptuous, or uncharitable judgements, but absolutely to forbid our taking account of the distinction between right and wrong. It is not for us to sin by judgment upon our brother, or these "new lights" of mortality, who, in the keenness of their perceptions eclipse even Canning's nice judge, who

> Swore, with keen, discriminating sight,
> Black's not so black, nor white so very white.

We know not with what predisposing "organs" he may have been born, or to what terrible temptations he may have been exposed;—perhaps he was rickedly brought up; perhaps circumstances have thrown among vile associates; we ourselves, with all our boasted virtue, had we been subjected to the same fiery ordeal, might, in like manner have gone astray. Let us be duly thankful to Heaven for our own escape from crime, and we shall cease to denounce "our fallen brother," and shall look on him, not as an enemy of his race, but as one "unfortunately lapsed from virtue," and who, like the lunatic, is entitled to our deepest commiseration and sympathy.

For ourselves we have no faith in this spurious philanthropy. Away with all such miserable teaching, that would confound the distinctions of right and wrong, and make chaos of all our moral sentiments! Society has too long cast impotent under the dogmatisms of these mawkish sentimentalist. We should be ashamed to attempt seriously to disprove the doctrine that reason and rascals are compelled to become such by the force of circumstances—by the resistless exigencies of their situation. As well might a battalion, peculiarly exposed to the fire of the enemy, run from the battle-field, or surrender to the foe, on the plea that their less exposed neighbors would have done the same, if placed under the same circumstances. The dogma that no man has a voice on the question whether he shall be a scoundrel or not—that he becomes a confirmed thief or pirate, just as he might become blind or insane, by a stroke of calamity which he has no power to avert—is too monstrously absurd to merit refutation. If we are to excuse all the crime that we can account for, and to denounce none of which we can fancy that there is some adequate explanation—pray, where are we to stop in our absolutions? All the villainy existing in the world is composed of what is inborn and what comes by "circumstance"; there is no deed so vile or atrocious, but is the result of some adequate cause; and if we are to pardon all but senseless crimes, who can ever be condemned?

But waste words on such nonsense—for sophistry it does not deserve to be called. Guilt, we repeat, is *self-misfortune*; nor can all the philanthropic, jugglings with words, and talk about "circumstances" and "overpowering temptations," persuade man to regard it as such. Misfortune may attend guilt, as it generally does with a vengeance; Dr. Johnson uttered but a truism when he declared that "he never knew a villain that was not on the whole an unhappy dog." But we know of no reason why, because "the way of the transgressor is hard," he should be considered an object of sympathy. Kindness, sympathy, consolation, we would show to every transgressor, to his *attempts at reformation*, however miserable his crimes; but, till he repents, we know of no reason why he should be regarded in the same spirion of his uncertain of fallibility as one merely lurched on the hero and industrious poor, who are victimized in daily struggles with temptation. In short, the criminal is an enemy to God and his fellow man, and, as such, deserves punishment, not compassion. Therein an eternal and immutable distinction between Right and Wrong, and it is vain to attempt to confound them. He who does so, strikes a blow at the very foundations of society, and is an enemy to the highest well-being of his race.

Currency Mistaken for Money—No. 2.

Bullion banking is borrowing and lending *money*—a reality of capital, causing no embarrassment, while debt banking is borrowing and lending debt—a fiction of capital which causes inevitable embarrassment, because the debt thus created, however long it may be *kited* and continued, cannot be ultimately paid. So long as the price of things exceeds their money value, the volume of local currency is too great for the commodities in market, and money must be transmitted to pay indebtedness where money has more value by reason of the currency being relatively in small supply. So long as the price of things is below their money value, the volume of currency is relatively less than the supply of exchangable commodities, and so long merchandise must be transmitted and money received and retained. The latter is the desirable relative position of money and goods; and it can always be maintained by any community with sufficient industry who never manufacture money or currency, nor produce gold and silver.

California cannot do it: she produces the material of money in excess; her prices must be higher than elsewhere or she cannot sell her gold, for nobody sends goods to California without an expectation of getting more gold than he obtained for the same goods in New York. Infallibly California will be deeply involved in debt by a glut of imports generally, not withstanding the cautions and complainings of her merchants, which, as we all know, are almost incessant. Money must be cheaper in California than elsewhere because of its native abundance; this is only another mode of saying that prices must be higher on the average, with occasional exceptions.

The reader, who may be puzzled with the high rate of interest in California, must learn that interest has nothing to do with the value of money; it is something nearer the value of debt: the poorer the debt, or the more there is of it, whether in the public or private debt of the community, or in the currency, the higher is the rate of interest. But interest is really the *rent of capital*, and capital must always participate in the merchandize wherever money is the cheapest. Capital is scarce in California and money almost the only exportable commodity; money is the most plentiful product of the State; so the *rent of capital* is high there while the *value of money is low*. Money runs away from a high to a low rate of interest all the world over: it flows from California to New York, London, Paris, and and Hamburg; from the rate of 24 or 30 per cent. per annum to 1½ or 2 per cent. Goods, being cheaper in Hamburg, emigrate to Paris, London, New York and San Francisco, while money being cheaper in San Francisco emigrates in the opposite direction.

I consider the production of money a poor business for any community; for, although it is wealth to the individual miner, it does not increase the wealth of the community or the world. As soon as it circulates in the currency it reduces the value of all pre-existing money by raising general prices, and the miner's future product is worth so much the less than it would have been if he had obtained the same sum of money by any other labor. The farmer who raises a crop of wheat that otherwise would not have been produced adds its net value to his wealth, but he reduces the exchange value of all the wheat in market to the rate of the increase of supply; still he produces a useful thing. It is not so with money. John Stuart Mill says, very truly: "The uses of money are in no respect promoted by increasing the quantity which exists and circulates in a country, the services which it performs being as well rendered by a small as by a larger aggregate amount. Two million quarters of wheat will not feed so many persons as four millions; but two millions of pounds sterling will carry on as much traffic, will buy and sell as many commodities as four millions, though at lower nominal prices."

The increase of real money is a natural reduction of its value, and the community loses nothing by selling it accordingly, because they obtain its real value in exchange, whether more or less; but the increase of currency by exchanging promises to pay with a bank is a very different matter; it is wholly artificial, *a mere depreciation of the value of money* and the money exported in consequence is absolutely lost to the community that produces the fiction; they might as well plunge so much gold into the sea. The *sophistry of this operation*, which is generally unperceived, lies in the increase of the price of things above their money value. Suppose we add 20 per cent. of this debt currency to the natural volume of our money, and thus make the price of wheat $1.20 per bushel, when its true money value is what it might have been sold at $1; there we stock the sale of wheat and must part with $1.20 of gold instead, so that the wheat retained virtually costs the community $1.20 per bushel in standard gold. Obviously the 20 cents rise in price is the product of fiction, while if the additional currency had been gold it would have been the product of labor. We had better have made a public and binding agreement in our community to reduce the value of every dollar to 831 cents (for that is the value in which the debt of the State of New York currency in the case supposed) and paid our debts abroad in commodities accordingly, for this we could have done without maintaining banks and paying bank dividends to do it. All this expense of banking must be paid out of the proceeds of the labor of the people in addition to the loss of gold itself. The people must pay the piper while the class interested in the profits of banking enjoy the dance. Altogether, it levies an enormous tax upon the community, which is conceded to be supposed but fallacious advantages of high prices.

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FROM WASHINGTON.

[Correspondence of the Press and Tribune.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13, 11 P. M.

Two days of this week have been consumed in speech-making. The southern fire has slackened, either because the speakers are running out of ammunition, or have had some of their guns dismounted and mines sprung inside of their lines. The Republicans stand stubbornly on the defensive, and allow the Democrats to exhaust their fire in vain efforts to draw the Republicans out of their intrenchments. Let the House be organized, and then we will give you battle on the open plain.

The speeches this week have been made entirely by the Lecomptonites and the Anti-Lecomptonites. In behalf of the latter, we have had speeches from Clark, Hoskins, Hickman and Adrain. On that of the former, by Stewart of Maryland, Noel of Missouri, Dan. Sickles of New York, and Ex-Gov. McRae of Mississippi, who has not yet finished. The Administration speeches have lacked point and vigor. Stewart's speech was a long, rambling, incoherent rigmarole about the everlasting rights of the nigger-breeding oligarchy. The only thing he said of any particle of consequence was that the Union Meetings at the North were good for nothing; were hypocritical gatherings got up by persons engaged in the southern trade, who at heart were just as Anti-Slavery as those who had the manliness to avow their sentiments openly. He contended that the Constitution carried slavery into the Territories beyond Congressional control—that such was the Dred Scott decision, and such the belief of the National Democracy.

Judge Kilgore of Indiana, inquired, if Mr. Seward should be elected President Mr. Bocock would consider that a sufficient cause for the dissolution of the Union? Stewart replied that he would not answer unless Mr. Sherman should submit to ostracising. (Bocock is a Disunionist.) Kilgore required, that Sherman would define his position on the following material questions if Bocock would, viz: Is your candidate (Bocock) in favor of Congressional legislation for protecting slave property in the Territories? Is he in favor of Popular Sovereignty in them, and its right to admit or exclude slavery therefrom? If your candidate will answer these questions, I pledge you our's will also. Stewart declined to accept the proposition. Kilgore drove him into a close corner. The Illinois Democrats have put no questions to Bocock. They know he is against all the doctrines they preached on the stump, but party with them is paramount to principles. I charge that these five Illinois Democrats are betraying their constituents. Some of them never could have been elected had the people of their Districts known before hand the course they would take when they got to Washington. This Virginian, Bocock, is a slave-code Lecomptonite of the bitterest description, and the Illinois Democrats know it.

Haskin, of New York, was the next speaker. He defended himself against the charges of the *Constitution*, and then walked into the affections of the Administration. He brought a fearful array of allegations against them, of broken pledges, betrayal of plighted faith, of apostacy to principles, of peculations, and plundering the Treasury, and squandering the revenues, and eating up the substance of the people. There never has been, he said, so corrupt, rotten, or unprincipled an Administration in power over either branch of the Anglo Saxon family since the days of Walpole. His arraignment of the Administration was listened to with the closest attention on all sides, and was warmly applauded by the Republicans and Opposition on the floor and galleries. The *Constitution*, the home organ, had been lashing the Anti-Lecomptonites Democrats in the severest style for several days past, because they refused to support Bocock. Over 30,000 copies of Haskin's speech were immediately subscribed for by the New York members, for distribution in that State. There are portions of Haskin's speech—one counts against the Administration party, which should be widely published in the West.

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Completion of a Political Cycle—What Douglas meant by saying "He had Checked his Baggage Through."

[From the Hartford Press, Dec. 12.]

WASHINGTON, December 14, 1859.

To the Editor of the Press and Tribune:

It may be said with much propriety that the opening of the present Congress completes a *cycle* in politics; or in other words that it completes that system of tactics in which Stephen A. Douglas diverged from his regular course as a caterer to Southern whims, for the purpose of securing the Senatorship of Illinois—and places him, where the close of the thirty-fourth Congress left him, walking to the mire at the feet of the slave power. When he represented that he had left the Democratic party and "checked his baggage through," he only meant through this *cycle*—and that same baggage, together with the Representatives from the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth and Ninth Districts of Illinois in Congress, has reached the station at the end of the line, and, as will be seen by their votes for Speaker, repose safely in the custody of the Democracy, leaving a long line of illustrious dupes, comprising most of all states and conditions in our party, to mourn the unkindly loss of the huge gudgeons they so fondly imagined in their sat two years since.

The adventures of the *cycle* were well planned and daringly executed. Look at it. At the close of the Thirty-fourth Congress, Douglas saw his Senatorial term near its close, and wanted it renewed; but with a majority in his own State against him, that important bit of capital for the adventure could not be claimed before the forthcoming Charleston convention was as his well saw, quite out of his reach. It was a easy thing for Douglas, with his only chance in Illinois was with the majority, at an early, by means of his minion, John Candlebox Calhoun, to bridge the abyss which separated him from that majority. It is done in the Lecompton constitution as made to order; Douglas, according to the programme, got awful mad and said hard things about his party, meanwhile cooing and petting E stern Republicans who were to be used as cats-paws with which to convert favor among his rebellious constituents. As a result of Douglas's hypocritical fury, Gov. Gresley, Thurlow Weed, the Springfield (Mass.) *Republican* and others in the East, and a whole school of anti-shell Republicans in our own State, were at once sending up pæans and to deems for Douglas.

In another only an occasional word from the New York *Tribune* to keep these laudations in the ears of our voters until too late, notwithstanding the unsuppressible protests of a majority of the press and leaders in Illinois. With all these tricks in the game, it was an easy matter for Douglas to "bag" the prize, which he did, the while laughing in his sleeve at the manner in which he fooled Gresley and his blind Republican allies.

As remarked at the commencement, this *cycle* in politics has been completed by the return of the whole Douglas delegation from Illinois, according to programme, in the old rotten concern from which they emerged to accomplish their design. The few anti-Lecompton Democrats who have been elected are left the only monuments to mark the former existence of their party in the lower house—while in the Senate the vacant seat of a Senator butchered on the plains of California by the Lecompton party, and the absence of a noble quint from Illinois, strangled by his own professed friends in other States, attest that same perfidious existence, disgraced alike to the buyer and the duped. Now let us see how this foray of Douglas into our ranks and his return bearing with him the Senatorship as a trophy, taught us anything concerning the perfidious nature of the man, or do we need such lessons? How many more reverse movements must he execute—now lauding the Missouri Compromise as a sacred thing, and now trampling it in the dust with insults upon those who established it—now threatening dire vengeance upon the slave power, and then bending all his aid to elevate its minions—before some men will come to know him? Two years since the Senatorship was to be bestowed by the Republicans, next year the Presidential nomination is the gift of the slave power; hence this late reverse movement.

Truly has been given the country "line upon line" to convince the people that he will be found nearest to the repository of power and patronage, and just as certainly will receive the teaching. Who doubts that if to-day he were to execute a political somersault, the whole generation of New York Police Republicans would not glorify him to the skies? The whole affair, attended with such disastrous results to our cause, should teach us to dispense with that verdancy which prompts us to stake the fortunes of our cause upon these "confidence" schemers; and until we learn to trust only those who have been tried and found true, or who are known to possess integrity, we had better suspend operations and learn the rudiments of political tactics. Yours,

J. O. C.

[Forthe Press and Tribune.]

Radicalism.

BY C. E. WEBB.

Radicalism, in the now-a-day dialect, is a term of cruel reproach. Its mention in connection with a man's principles is a most suggestive of two pistols and ten paces, or at least an action for libel. Level the word at a politician or preacher, and you have him shrinking, and wince, and scramble out of the way as though a ten-pound shot were coming! Yet, why this should be puzzles me mightily to determine. Philologically, the Radical is one that goes to the root of things, and to assert that a man can be too radical in developing a truth, too radical in reproving an error, is simply too absurd! Let conservatives clamor as they will, give us Radicalism in politics, Radicalism in the pulpit!

Radicalism in politics—our fathers were Radicals. The poet had told them that

> "divinity doth hedge a king."

Brave old heroes! they knew it not, and so bade Tetrarchs and Monarchs to follow Nebuchadnezzar of old—to grass. Long-time legends had taught that one should rule the mighty; reversing the rule for the people, they made the million rule the one—that million both sovereign and subject at once. And is it casting reproach upon their ashes to term them Radicals?

Radicalism in the pulpit—Martin Luther was a glorious old Radical. With his iron fervent, radical right hand he plucked the tiara from the Pope's brow, and thrust it with mitres and cardinals' hats and crosiers in the dirt corner of the world. And do you think that the Almighty will stir uneasily in his grave though you should call him a Radical? Ye Gods!

One word with you, gentlemen of the pulpit. Do not stand as sign-boards, dumbly pointing and yourselves stationary; but lift up your fingers, and point men to follow. *Preach and live the way.* Remember that you are the chosen captains of Jehovah's vanguard! Let your watchword be "Onward!" Let your war-cry be "Forward with you, gentlemen of the pulpit!" Do not stand as sign-boards, dumbly pointing and yourselves stationary; but lift up your fingers, and point men to follow. *Preach and live the way.* Remember that you are the chosen captains of Jehovah's vanguard! Let your watchword be "Onward!" Let your war-cry be "Forward with you, gentlemen of the pulpit!"

The Wounded of the North-Western Army.

Van B. Smead of the *Press*, is now able to sit up and is gathering strength rapidly. Hopes are entertained that he will be able to be removed from Watertown to this city in two or three weeks.

The list of the wounded at Watertown, under the skilful treatment of Drs. Gross & Spalding of that city, are convalescent and have retired to their homes. There are a number of native's noblemen at Watertown who have invalided from strangers known to among them by misfortune, as though they were their own sons and brothers. We have many of their people in this city who will be glad to welcome them at this time.

Gov. Black, in his message, made some excellent suggestions on this subject, which we have no doubt will be received with favor by the legislature. In our judgment, the Legislature cannot be too careful in adjusting the details for State Organization, for a time may speedily come when a United Army will be needed to defend our altar. The bill should also be so framed, that at the election of members to a Constitutional Convention, the people may be permitted to vote "Convention" or "no Convention" directly. This would obviate the necessity for two elections, and, in case a majority of the people were opposed to the measure, prevent the delay and expense. We hope too, that great caution will be used in the choice of delegates to the bill.

A Constitutional Convention will be held, and it can be attended with very little expense, provided there is not too much machinery about it.—*Omaha Nebraskian, 9th.*

Tribulations of Connecticut Book Agents.

[From the Hartford Press, Dec. 12.]

Two young men of this State, James J. Miller of Hartford, 17 years old, (born of his age and looking older), and Enmonds J. Coe of Meriden, have just returned from North Carolina, after a rather severe experience of the manner in which some of the people in that region observe the guarantee of the Constitution.

They went to Salisbury, Rowan County, about four weeks ago, as traveling agents for L. Stebbins, publisher, of this place, to sell two large and handsomely illustrated volumes, "The History of the North American Indians," and "The History of Christ and His Apostles." They took a team of the Mount Vernon House, and after thoroughly canvassing Salisbury and the vicinity, they went to Gold Hill on Monday, November 21, and returned on the evening of the 24th.

On their way back in the evening they met two men returning from court, who asked, "Do you know Old Brown the insurrectionist?" "No." "Well, you look out or you will be in jail pretty soon." They heard nothing more until Wednesday morning, when, as they were looking at a fire which broke out in the Methodist Church, Coe heard the Mayor say to a man standing by: "Yes; that's the very man; he was speaking of me!" said Coe. "Yes." He handed them his card, and with Miller returned to the hotel, whither they were followed by the man to whom the Mayor had spoken. He at short time an officer with five patrol-men, carrying heavy canes, came to their door. Miller opened it, and politely asked them in. He also offered them his trunk, his keys, papers, books, letters, &c., and invited them to satisfy themselves as to their character and business. They declined to take the young men directly to the Police Court.

Arriving there, accompanied by a great crowd, a warrant was read to them from which they learned that they were charged with "being emissaries from the North to excite insurrection among the slaves." Many witnesses were examined, and the leaves of the books turned over and over, and laid aside for more careful study. The crowd questioned a good deal, and then swore a good deal, and then questioned and swore more. They opened carefully and shook out every shirt and pair of trowsers, but no treason appeared.

The presiding magistrate said that there was nothing against them but suspicion, yet he thought it better to bind them over for trial before the Superior Court, requiring $500 bail. They asked Miller and Coe if they were ready to give bail? "Certainly not," said Miller; "take us to jail."

So they went to jail with a solemn procession of six officers around them, and ten couples in front, and six more in the rear. They sent for a lawyer, R. B. Moore, who proved himself a frank, generous, sensible friend throughout. They had crowds of visitors daily asking to see the "Yankees," or the "Abolitionists."

On Tuesday, the 29th, they were brought into the Superior Court, and Judge Dick, after a plea-ney told the Court that "these young men were ignorant of the laws, and, so far as ascertained, had committed no intentional offence." He, therefore, discharged them. Judge Dick, nobody know—and told them that on paying their jail fees, $4.12 each, they should be discharged. They paid the bill, but Coe states that they paid for protection from the mob of "law-fellows of the court," who manifested great anxiety to use tar and feathers.

In the evening the sheriff escorted them to the hotel, where they kept close. Crowds gathered at the depot, hoping to get a chance at them as they took the cars. On Wednesday evening, Nov. 30, gatherings in the street indicated a disposition to mob them, and they armed themselves with a determination to resist, and the landlord told them: "If they tar and feather you, they shall tar and feather mine." On Thursday, at noon, they quietly took a buggy for Lexington, a station some miles distant, where they waited, supposing not to know each other, for the midnight train. Excepting some close questioning at Portsmouth, they met no further difficulty, and took the steamer for New York.

Among the ridiculous and wholly baseless stories against them it was said that they had called slaves into gin shops, talked treason with them privately, sold them books, and told them that if they would only run away somewhere "across the river," the unfailing army that came to rescue John Brown would take them off, and also promised to correspond with them, &c. They heard threats in abundance daily, but escaped without personal injury, both from the breaking up of their business and the expenses of their defense.

We trust that these outrages, of which this is but one sample out of hundreds, will receive a decided rebuke on Wednesday evening from our "Union savers."

Slavery in St. Louis.—Its Decline in Ten Years.

[From the Missouri Democrat.]

A gang of fifty-one negroes, mostly females, left a slave-yard on Sixth street yesterday, bound South. They were all in a healthy condition, and were collected from various localities of the State. The event prompted some inquiry into the progress of slavery in this city and county, and we find that the only true solution it is growing comparatively "small by degrees and beautifully less."

Our readers will remember the table of taxable property in this county, which we published on Tuesday morning. It gave the aggregate number of slaves for 1859 at 3,695, valued at $1,058,920. The number in a small increase on last year's return, but considering the depot that is made of this city for the sale of negroes, who in their transit from the Slave States to the South are concentrated here from time to time, the increase is not at all alarming

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The U. S. mail steamship Arizona, from Brazos Santiago, the 5th inst., via Indianola the 7th, reached her wharf at an early hour last evening. She brings $212,848 in specie on freight.

THE INVASION OF CORTINAS—UNSUCCESSFUL EXPEDITION AGAINST HIM.—The Brownsville *Flag Extra* furnishes the following running history of events since our last, from which it will be seen that nothing has really been done in the way of driving out the Mexican invaders, or rather what was done has only resulted in misfortunes.

On Sunday, the 20th ult., regarding our forces sufficiently strong to act on the offensive, as well as to protect the town, a call for volunteers to go up to the attack was made, when nearly all of the members of the company of Captain Kennedy, and many others in the other companies, offered to march at a moment's warning. Lieut. Langdon, U. S. A., being in charge of the two howitzers which are mounted, one at each of our barricades, was at Brazos, and an express was sent to him to ask leave to take one of them, that one at Fort Gringo, on the expedition. Learning that a large party of volunteers were coming out from Texas, a party of thirty-one rangers were sent out on Saturday evening by Capt. Tobin, under Lieut. Littleton, to protect their approach. The volunteers, however, came during the day, but not by the route expected—eighty-three men in all—without meeting Lieut. Littleton.

LIEUT. LITTLETON'S PARTY SURPRISED.—The party under Lieut. Littleton, however, did meet another party, and were surprised and closely pursued.

On coming out of a mot, or chaparal, they espied some five or six armed men, who at first seemed disposed to fight and then to escape. A few men were ordered to give chase and cut them off, in attempting to do which they passed over the prairie to another and more dense chaparal on the other side, where the persons disappeared, the Rangers following. All at once a general fire was opened on them from a large force, afterwards ascertained to be a hundred and thirty men, who were laying in ambush. Lieut. Littleton, finding his men in danger, rushed to their aid, and after a few moments' conflict—during which a four-pound howitzer was fired upon them—three of his men were killed, one wounded and taken prisoner, and he received one ball through the forearm, and another—a spent ball—struck his belt, under which was another with a brass shield, the ball going no further, but causing a severe contusion.

The Rangers discovering that the force against them was securely posted and very superior in numbers, retired, and were closely pursued for two miles, but no farther, and returned to the city. On the next day Capt. Tobin's company of Rangers went out to find and bury the dead. The blood in the veins of every American should grow cold as ice when we state that not only Dr. Millets, of this city, and Greer and McCay, of San Antonio, and even young Fox, who, after being wounded and surrounded by the Mexicans, threw down his arms and yielded himself prisoner to Cortinas in person, were found with their lifeless bodies riddled with wounds and mutilated in a manner most horrible.

CORTINAS AT HIS CAMP.—Cortinas himself is still encamped at what is called Rancho del Carmen, some twelve miles above the city of Brownsville. The number of his men is not stated, but Capt. Tobin and Capt. Berry both express the opinion that no force less than 500 men, well armed, would suffice to dislodge him. He is, therefore, for the present safe.

In the meantime, he has issued a second proclamation to the "Mexican Inhabitants of Texas," in which he sets forth, at length, their grievances in common—how, ever since the organization of the new State, the country had been overrun by adventurers, who have "robbed them of their property and hunted them up and down like wild beasts, "till their wrongs have come to be past endurance," and how to him had been intrusted "the work of breaking the chains of their slavery." And to this end, we are told, a society has been organized in the State of Texas, which will devote itself faithfully to the work until it is crowned with success—a society whose constitution is written in "The Great Book," over which hangs "the veil of impenetrable secrecy." The elevation of Gen. Houston to the executive chair is also looked upon as full of hope to them.

As to the camp of Cortinas, we are told by Mr. Campbell, one of his prisoners, that the flag of Mexico all the time floats over it, and that the sentinels in challenging, and the persons challenged in reply, use the word of fealty to the country prescribed in Mexico:

Quien vivi? Mexico! Qui Regimento? Cortina!

"To whom do you belong?" "To Mexico!" "To what regiment?" "To that of Cortina!"

AFFAIRS AT BROWNSVILLE.—Of the state of affairs at Brownsville, the *Flag* says:

In the city we fare as before. Each citizen sleeps at one of the three barricades, stands as sentinel three hours in the day, and from two to three hours at night, and lives on the residue of the fruits of his past industry, or his hopes for the future.

No news has been lately received of the two companies of artillery ordered from Fort Clark; but if all they can do is to garrison Fort Brown, they can do us little good outside. Our present forces are the following:

U. S. garrison, Fort Brown	45
Rangers under Capts. Tobin and Tomlinson	140
Citizens and wayfaring men in Brownsville	100
Total	285

We learn elsewhere from the *Flag* that Capt. Ricketts, commanding at Fort Brown, regards himself under orders to remain in garrison, unless in case of emergency, such as an attack upon the city. He has "no authority, though ever so willing, to sally out and attack the enemy, either with the military forces of the State, or to execute the process in the hands of the U. S. Marshal or the Sheriff."

Melancholy Death of an Episcopal Clergyman.

THE DEATH OF REV. MR. SOUTHARD.

A correspondent of the *Church Journal* gives the following account of the death of Rev. Samuel L. Southard, formerly of Newark, whose death took place last week at St. Louis:

"About ten o'clock on Wednesday morning, Rev. Mr. Terry called on me, startled me by the awful announcement, "Poor Southard is dead!" After his resignation of the parish at Boonville, about the end of September, he wrote to Bishop DeLancey, renouncing the ministry, and was formaly deposed by him in Richmond, during the session of the General Convention. For several weeks past he has been at a cheap boarding house near Barnum's Hotel, in bad health. Rev. Mr. Terry visited him every day; and calling about nine o'clok on Wednesday morning as usual, found his room locked, and no response to calls for admission. The door being forced, he was found lying on the bed, his face covered with a cloth, which being removed revealed the dreadful truth. The body was still warm, and two physicians were in immediate attendance; but it was all over! A boy in the house stated that at about nine o'clock on Tuesday night Mr. Southard gave him a dollar to buy him a phial of chloroform at a druggist's, which he got for him. He had been in the habit of using this as a remedy for neuralgia in the face, from which he had suffered much for some time, and no doubt died from an accidental overdose. The phial was found at his bedside, half used. When Mr. Terry saw him on Tuesday he was better than usual. His library had been sold at auction the night previous, and brought a far larger sum than he expected—upwards of $400. This, paying all his debts left him about $300, and he had intended leading here for New York on Wednesday afternoon to take a sea voyage to China for a yea, in hope of recovering his health. The body was removed to his hotel, and in his two principal parlors the funeral ceremonies took place yesterday afternoon, preparatory to its removal to Bellefontaine Cemetery, where it was deposited in a receiving vault, to await the disposition of his friends at the East. There were present Bishop Hawks, Rev. Messrs. Terry, Clerk, Schuyler, Coleman, Berkley and Clark; Judge Bowlin, his cousin, (late Minister to Paraguay,) Judge Hamilton, also a connection, and several of the most respectable gentlemen in this city. Rev. Mr. Terry performed the services at the hotel, and the remainder was said at the cemetery by the Bishop."

Mr. Southard was the son of Samuel L. Southard, who filled several terms as United States senator from New Jersey, and afterwards was Secretary of the Navy under John Quincy Adams and President of the Senate during Tyler's administration.

The Terre Haute and Alton R. R. in the Hands of Trustees.

[From the Charleston, (Ill.) Courier, 14th.]

On Monday of this week, as we are informed, the T. H. A. & St. L. R. R., was surrendered into the hands of the Trustees of the second mortgages. Those trustees having a right, according to the terms of their mortgage, to take possession of the road at any time after default was made in the payment of interest on the bonds secured by said mortgage. This road has long been in a bankrupt condition, and the stock, as well as the debts against the Company, have been worth almost nothing. We learn that the trustees, into whose hands the road has been surrendered, propose at once to raise from their bondholders, ten per cent of the face of their bonds, say $200,000, for the purpose of relieving the immediate necessities of the road, with a part of this sum, we presume, some sort of settlement will be made of the debts and claims against this Company along the line of the road.

It is proposed also to sell out the Road under the second mortgage, as soon as a decree of a Court for that purpose can be got, and apply to the next Legislature for a charter for a new company, in which all the present interests, as bondholders, creditors and stockholders will be allowed to come in and take shares according to what is supposed to the relative value of their several securities. Thus, while such creditors as are not otherwise secured, or settled with, will be entitled to stock in the new company at par, and some of them to a preferred stock, the old stockholders will be allowed stock at the rate of forty per cent. on their old stock.

We have not been fully informed as to the details of the plan, but learn, generally, that an attempt has been made to protect every interest, and that if it is not all that creditors and stockholders could have wished, it is probably the best that could be done in the present embarrassed condition of the road.

—Several of the party who left New York in August last by the schooner Nautilus, to make examination of the alleged gold deposits among the Indian graves of Chiriqui, have returned. They report that these diggings will not pay. In examining other localities, however, valuable gold deposits were discovered in the shape of auriferous quartz, and fine gold in the beds of streams, tempting specimens of which have been exhibited. A small party is organizing to return and renew operations, which were suspended for the lack of provisions and tools. They sail on the 5th of January.

MISCELLANEOUS.

☞ The Halles Centrales, or great markets of Paris, are connected by a subterranean railway with the Road by which provisions are brought from the country.

—A penny was deposited in the corner stone of a church at Jackson, Mich., last week, that had been taken from the corner stone of a temple in Rome, built during the reign of the first Cæsar.

—Very great activity is manifested in the various factories in England in the manufacture of the Armstrong guns, with a view of completing the specified number by the end of the year. A portion only of the manufacturing material is completed at any one factory, in order to insure a greater degree of caution in guarding the secret of the principle from the public. Every person is excluded, by the most stringent orders from the War Department, from visiting the factories. So strict are the orders in this particular, that the members of the Royal Defence Commission and General Dacres, commanding the garrison at Woolwich, were denied admission, although direct application was made to the Secretary of War, Mr. Herbert.

TREASONABLE LINEN.—We have seen a private correspondence from a Northern gentleman now traveling in the Southern States, which states that a very worthy and quiet mechanic from New England, was driven away from a village in Georgia because his valise contained a clean shirt wrapped up in a copy of the New York *Sun*, containing Henry Ward Beecher's sermon on the Harper's Ferry affair. Whether the Georgians object to the clean shirt or the paper, is not stated; but, as the *Sun* is in the interest of the pro-slavery Democracy, we presume the shirt was the occasion of their anger. The test of party affiliation appears to be the same at the South as in the North—clean linen being *prima facie* evidence of Republicanism, and the contrary of Democracy.—*Grand Rapids Eagle.*

—In the Virginia State Senate on Wednesday, among the resolutions introduced was one placing free negroes on the same footing as slaves in the eye of the law as regards punishment for crime, and another to require merchants in applying for license to state what part of their goods is manufactured out of this State, and, if imported, at what port they entered.

—The Charlestown correspondent of the Baltimore *American* writes:

"One of the jail guard, a worthy gentleman of this place, asked of Capt. Brown his autograph. He expressed the kindest feeling for him, and said he would give it upon this consideration—that he should not make a speculation out of it. The gentleman never alluded to the subject again, but on the morning of execution Brown sent for him and handed him the following communication:

"'CHARLESTOWN, Va., Dec. 2, 1859.—I, John Brown, am now quite *certain* that the crimes of this *guilty land* will never be purged *away* but with *blood*. I had, as I now think, vainly flattered myself that, without very much bloodshed, it might be done.'"

—It is reported in Boston that three printers, one of whom is a pressman in the *Courier* office, were parties to the game which cost the Rev. Mr. Pomroy his money and his character, and that they got the money which he paid to prevent exposure.

—Augustus Frank of the Wyoming Congressional District had been suffering for several weeks from that most excruciating disease, inflammatory rheumatism. The disease was at its hight at the beginning of the week preceding the meeting of Congress; but on Thursday he was able to be up, and on Friday he could move with the aid of crutches. Whereupon he hobbled to the cars, pushed on to Washington, and was in his seat when the roll was called on Monday.

—Justice Catron of the United States Supreme Court, has publicly and earnestly protested, in Nashville, Tenn., his residence, against an act now pending in the Legislature of his State, which provides that free colored persons shall be seized and sold, if found in Tennessee, after the 1st day of May next, if they are adults; and that, if children, they shall be bound out; and the adults to be allowed to emigrate to Africa, in which case some slight aid is to be furnished by the State to assist in their transportation; or to be allowed to seek a master, and go into slavery.

THE WINANS STEAMER.—The following is an extract from a letter written by Captain John Lewis, of wrecking schooner H. W. Johnson, of New York, to his owners in New York relative to the performances of the Winans steamer:—

NORFOLK, Dec. 10, 1859.—We went down the bay on Thursday last with the Winans steamer, her owner wishing to test her qualities as a seagoing vessel, when she behaved herself beautifully. It was blowing a fresh breeze from the northward, and there was a very ugly sea running, but she went along as smooth and steady almost as if she was in a river. From on board the Johnson we could not see that she rolled any at all, even when lying in the trough of the sea. They tried her every way—head to the sea, broadside to and before it, and I believe she more than answered the expectations of her owner; and from what I saw of her performance, I have no hesitation in calling her a first rate sea boat. She sailed for Baltimore early this morning. She is very fast.

ANOTHER TAR AND FEATHER CASE.—A Scotchman named Sandy Tate, having expressed himself rather too freely upon the slave question and Harper's Ferry affair in the village of Salisbury, North Carolina, was recently seized by a mob and tarred and feathered, after which he was placed upon a fence-rail and carried to a neighboring duck pond, where, in the presence of an immense throng of people, he was ducked until he recanted. Upon being released, the poor fellow took to his heels and has never been seen since.

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RAWSON, BARTLETT & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS AND
WHOLESALE DEALERS
—IN—
BOOTS & SHOES.
25 Lake Street, Chicago, Ill.
We would respectfully call the attention of City and Country Merchants to our extensive stock of Boots and Shoes, which we have now in store, and are daily receiving from our Factory in West Boylston, Mass., which consists of a full assortment of Shoes, Calf and Custom-Made Patna Kip, A Calf, and Grain Water Proof Boots; together with a full stock of all styles of
FALL AND WINTER GOODS,
of the best quality and manufacture which we are prepared to offer to the cash and prompt paying trade at Boston and New York Jobbing Prices.
We are Agents for the sale of Mitchell's Patent Metallic Tip Boots and Shoes, of which we have a full stock.

COPPER TOE.—
Mitchell's Patent Metallic Tips
—FOR—
BOOTS AND SHOES.
WADSWORTH & WELLS,
Wholesale Dealers in
BOOTS AND SHOES,
60 LAKE STREET, CHICAGO.
Are the exclusive owners of this Patent into and for the States of Wisconsin, Iowa and Minnesota, and will dispose of exclusive town or county rights to dealers for the sale or manufacture of Boots and Shoes having the Metallic Tip applied thereto in said States. And are also the sole agents for the sale of Town and County Rights into and for the State of Illinois.
WADSWORTH & WELLS
Will keep, in connection with their other general stock
A Complete and Full Assortment
OF METALLIC TIPPED BOOTS AND SHOES.
And will also keep the Metallic Tips to supply the demands of manufacturers in these States, at prices regularly established by the Patentees, and from which no deviation is made in the United States.
All infringements of their rights in this Patent will be dealt with according to law. ap[illegible]-ly

M. D. Gilman & Co.,
153 South Water St. 153
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.
M. D. GILMAN....W. C. D. GRANNIS....M. A. FARWELL.
We have now in store, and are daily receiving, a full and complete stock of
GROCERIES,
Composed, in part, as follows, to which we invite the attention of the trade:
50 hhds Muscovado Sugar,
125 do Porto Rico do
70 do New Orleans do
200 bbls Chicago Refined Sugar,
250 do New York do do
75 bags Old Governm't Java Coffee,
125 do Laguira Coffee,
250 do Rio do
25 do Mocha do
150 bbls New Orleans Molasses,
100 do Cuba do
75 do Sugar House Syrup,
100 do Golden do
75 do Portland do
300 hlf chests Green and Black Tea
150 bx Sawyer's White Erasive Soap
150 do Jones Oakley's do do
200 do A 1 Palm Soap,
200 do Star Candles,
40 do Sterine do
40 do Mould do
150 bxs Smoking Tobacco,
125 do Chewing do
215 butts do do
150 fancy caddies do
110 M Imported Cigars,
50 jars Maccaboy Snuff,
275 boxes Oswego Starch,
25 bags Pepper,
25 do Spice, 25 boxes Cloves,
25 cases A 1 Nutmegs,
40 tcs Prime Rice, 100 mts Cassia
75 boxs Prime Codfish,
175 hf bbls A 1 White Fish,
[illegible] boxes Scaled Herring,
[illegible] do A1 do
150 bags Dried Apples,
25 bbls Zante Currants,
150 boxes Layer Raisins,
275 do M. R. do
95 hf bxs do do
[illegible] coils Manilla and Jute Rope,
[illegible] reams Wrapping Paper,
275 bales do Twine,
125 bbls Pure Cider Vinegar,
150 do Dairy Salt,
250 boxes Pipes,
For sale very low. M. D. GILMAN & CO.,
se8-lv 153 South Water Street.

DEERE'S MOLINE PLOWS.—
The subscribers having enlarged their facilities for manufacturing, are now prepared to fill all orders to [illegible]
PLOWS AND BREAKERS
[illegible]
DEERE & CO.
Moline, Ill., October 1st, 1859. oc12-a[illegible]

FOR SALE—PACKING BARRELS, City Made, constantly on hand. Also, LARD
Kegs and Half Barrels.
By G. K. SHAVERNS, No. 55 Clark street, and GEO. A. SHAVERNS, 73 S. Desplaines street. de[illegible]

Corporation Notices.

TAX SALE NOTICE.
CITY COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Chicago, December [illegible], 1859.

To all persons interested: Take Notice, that on the Thirty-First day of March, A. D. 1859, the City of Chicago became the purchaser of [illegible]

Warrant No. 202, South—For constructing State street, Edgewood Place and Cottage Grove Avenue. [illegible]

[illegible]

Warrant No. 213, West—For grading sundry streets in the West Division.
Dawson & Hoffman's Addition:
Lots 4, 21, 24, 28 and 40, in Block 1; Lots 2 and 4, in Block 2; Lots 8 and 14, in Block 3.
Canal Sub of S 5, T 39, R 14:
N hf of Block 16.
Warrant No. 220, West—For constructing culverts on Wood street.
J. F. Clarkson's Sub of 4 acres of 4 Marcus w hf of n e qr
S 7, T 39, R 14:
Lots 9, 10, 22, 27, 28, 29, 37, 38 and 39, in Block 2.
[illegible]

Warrant No. 231, West—For sidewalk on south side of Ewing street.
School Section Addition:
Lot 19 in Block 37.
Warrant No. 228, West—For sidewalk on east side of Foster street.
School Section Addition:
N 20 feet of Lot 8, in Block 31.
Warrant No. 232, West—For sidewalk on south side of Harrison street.
[illegible]

Warrant No. 251, West—For sidewalk on east side of Union street.
[illegible]
Sub-lot 5 in Lot 1, in Block 61.
The right of redemption of the said premises from said sale will expire on the Thirty-First day of March, A. D. 1860.
de17-b830 2t S. D. WARD, City Comptroller.

TAX SALE NOTICE.
CITY COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Chicago, Dec. 17th, 1859.

To all persons interested, Take Notice, that on the Thirty-First day of March, A. D. 1859, the City of Chicago became the purchaser of
Lot No. 111, s. w. [illegible] of lot No. 112, and s. 150 feet of s. 25 feet of lot No. 113 in [illegible].
The w hf of n hf of Lot No. 147, in Butterfield's Addition.
[illegible]
All in the City of Chicago, in the County of Cook, and State of Illinois, with the buildings, if any, situated thereon, at a sale of Lots and Lands for the unpaid City Taxes and Costs due for general and special purposes for the year 1858, and that the time of redemption thereof will expire on the Thirty-First day of March, A. D. 1860.
de17-b830 2t S. D. WARD, City Comptroller.

Hardware for Fall Trade of 1859.
JEWETT & BUTER,
16 LAKE STREET, CHICAGO,
Invite the country Trade to the following:
50 Tons Annealed Fence Wire—assorted numbers.
" " Bright " "
2000 Kegs Nails—assorted sizes and brands.
2500 Bdls Sheet Iron—assorted.
200 " " " Russia—assorted.
50 " " " R. G.
15 Casks Sheet Zinc.
Tin Plate, Copper Bottoms, Rivets and Ears, Pig Tin, Brass and Covers, Tinner's Tools, &c. A complete assortment.

THE METALIC CAR SPRING COMPANY, OF NEW YORK.
OFFICE 54 WILLIAMS STREET, NEW YORK.
MANUFACTURERS OF
Patent Conical Volute Steel Car-Springs.
With increased capital and facilities, and ability to meet all orders promptly, this Company respectfully invite the attention of Railroad Managers, Car and Engine Builders, and others interested in Railroad Machinery, to their Car Springs, and the improvement in their application.
Orders and Correspondence Solicited.
CHAS. D. GIBSON, C. PALMER, E. VOSE,
Treasurer. President. Secretary.
PRATT & WORCESTER, Agents,
197 South Water street.
☞ Have all sizes on hand.

REAL ESTATE AND COMMISSION HOUSE.
ERNST PRUSSING,
No. 30 South Clark street.
Money Loaned on real estate securities. Business paper wanted.
I shall pay particular attention to the
Exchange of Goods for Real Estate.
To merchants or manufacturers, wishing to retire from business, I would say that I have the best facilities to dispose of their stock in exchange for real estate. Goods delivered to my care will be stored in fire-proof buildings. Please call and examine my list.

CHICAGO TYPE FOUNDRY
AND
Printers' Warehouse,
[illegible]........WASHINGTON STREET........[illegible]
CHICAGO.
The subscriber is prepared to furnish Type in large or small quantities, [illegible]
L. DODGE, Treasurer.

STRASBURGH CELEBRATED
ZOUAVE OINTMENT.
NECTARINE OIL,
And Shampoo Lotion.
Manufactured and for sale by GREENBAUM & CO., [illegible] West Randolph street, [illegible]

ESTATE OF JOSIAH H. GERMAN, Deceased.—Public notice is hereby given to all persons having claims [illegible] Court of Cook County, on the Third Monday of January, A. D. 1860. [illegible]
Chicago, December 15th, 1859.

HORSE BLANKETS.—We have [illegible] BLANKETS, [illegible]
del5 b774 1m TURNER & SIDWAY,
No. 102 Randolph street.

Corporation Notices.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.—Public Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the undersigned Commissioners, appointed by the Common Council of the City of Chicago, [illegible]
G. M. GRAY,
F. A. BRAGG,
S. C. HIGGINSON, } Commissioners.
Chicago, December 16th, 1859. del6-[illegible]

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.—Public Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the undersigned Commissioners, appointed by the Common Council of the City of Chicago to ascertain the damages and recompense [illegible]
G. M. GRAY,
F. A. BRAGG,
E. W. THOMAS, } Commissioners.
Chicago, December 16th, 1859. del6-[illegible]

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.—Public notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the undersigned Commissioners, appointed by the Common Council of the City of Chicago to ascertain [illegible] the opening of an alley through block forty-six in Kinzie's addition to Chicago [illegible] respectively, will meet at room No. 1 in the Court House on the 22d day of December, 1859, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of making said assessment.
G. M. GRAY,
F. A. BRAGG,
S. C. HIGGINSON, } Commissioners.
Chicago, December 16th, 1859. del6-[illegible]

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.—Public Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the undersigned Commissioners, appointed by the Common Council of the City of Chicago, [illegible]
G. M. GRAY,
F. A. BRAGG,
E. W. THOMAS, } Commissioners.
Chicago, December 16th, 1859. del6-[illegible]

SIDEWALK NOTICE.
City Clerk's Office, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16, 1859.
Public notice is hereby given, that the Common Council have ordered a sidewalk to be constructed, as follows: [illegible]
Now, unless the same shall be constructed in the manner required by the Ordinance relative to sidewalks, on or before the 24th day of December, 1859, it will be built by the Street Commissioner, and the cost assessed on the premises chargeable therewith.
del6-no115-[illegible] H. KREISMANN, City Clerk.

SIDEWALK NOTICE.
City Clerk's Office, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16, 1859.
Public Notice is hereby given, that the Common Council have ordered a Sidewalk to be constructed, as follows:—On the South side of Illinois street, from Wells street to Market st., in the North Division, [illegible] feet wide, of 2 inch plank, laid on bearings of not less than 3 by 4 inch oak scantling, let into the earth or the earth filled in between them, so as to form an even grade.
Now, unless the same shall be constructed in the manner required by the Ordinance relative to sidewalks, on or before the 24th day of December, 1859, it will be built by the Street Commissioner, and the cost assessed on the premises chargeable therewith.
del6-no116-[illegible] H. KREISMANN, City Clerk.

SIDEWALK NOTICE.
City Clerk's Office, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16, 1859.
[illegible]
Now, unless the same shall be constructed in the manner required by the Ordinance relative to sidewalks, on or before the 24th day of December, 1859, it will be built by the Street Commissioner, and the cost assessed on the premises chargeable therewith.
del6-no117-[illegible] H. KREISMANN, City Clerk.

SIDEWALK NOTICE.
City Clerk's Office, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16, 1859.
[illegible]
del6-no114-[illegible] H. KREISMANN, City Clerk.

SIDEWALK NOTICE.
City Clerk's Office, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16, 1859.
[illegible]
H. KREISMANN, City Clerk.

SIDEWALK NOTICE.
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16, 1859.
[illegible]
del6-no114-[illegible] H. KREISMANN, City Clerk.

SIDEWALK NOTICE.
City Clerk's Office, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16, 1859.
[illegible]
del6-no113-[illegible] H. KREISMANN, City Clerk.

SIDEWALK NOTICE.
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16, 1859.
[illegible]
H. KREISMANN, City Clerk.

SIDEWALK NOTICE.
City Clerk's Office, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16, 1859.
[illegible]
H. KREISMANN, City Clerk.

SIDEWALK NOTICE.
City Clerk's Office, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16, 1859.
[illegible]
H. KREISMANN, City Clerk.

SIDEWALK NOTICE.
City Clerk's Office, Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16, 1859.
Public Notice is hereby given, that the Common Council have ordered a Sidewalk to be constructed, as follows:—On the South side of Washington street, from Reuben street to Wood street, in the West Division, [illegible]
del0-no110-[illegible] H. KREISMANN, City Clerk.

CITY OF CHICAGO,
City Collector's Office, Nov. 28, 1859.
Notice is hereby given that the following Warrants are in my hands for collection:
[illegible]
All persons are requested forthwith to make payment of said Warrants at my office, or the same will be collected at the cost and expense of the persons liable to the payment of said assessments.
A. J. C. [illegible], City Collector.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.—Public notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the undersigned Commissioners, appointed by the Common Council of the City of Chicago, [illegible]
G. M. GRAY,
Supt. Special Assessments and Commissioner.
Chicago, December [illegible], 1859.

MASTER SALE.—State of Illinois, Cook County, ss.—Superior Court of Chicago, In Chancery. [illegible]
[illegible]
IRA SCOTT,
Master in Chancery of the Superior Court of Chicago.
Chicago, December 7th, 1859.

Legal Advertisements.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, on the [illegible] day of July, 1856, George Oertel and Caroline, his wife, by deed of that date, conveyed to the undersigned, [illegible]
SAMUEL STRAUS, Trustee.
Dated, Nov. 26

MASTER'S SALE—State of Illinois, Cook County, ss.—Circuit Court of Cook County.—In Chancery. Henry G. Sloat vs. William F. [illegible]
[illegible]
L. C. PAINE FREER,
Master in Chancery of Cook County.
Chicago, December 10th, 1859.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas, [illegible]
W. T. BURGESS, Trustee.
J. G. Barre, Att'y.
Dated Nov. 25, 1859.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County, ss.—Cook County Circuit Court, November Term, A. D. 1859. [illegible]
[illegible]
W. L. CHURCH, Clerk.
LYMAN RAMSEY, Pl'ff's Att'y.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Cook, ss.—Circuit Court of Cook County. [illegible]
[illegible]
WM. L. CHURCH, Clerk.
CONKLIN & MENARDE, Compl'ts Sol'rs.

MORTGAGE SALE.—Whereas, Alexander Merrell and Harriet Merrell, his wife, [illegible]
[illegible]
WILLIAM J. OGDEN, Assignee of said Mortgage.
Chicago, October 17th, 1859.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Cook, ss.—Superior Court of Chicago, February Term, A. D. 1860. [illegible]
[illegible]
W. T. BURSON, Pl'ff's Att'y.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Cook, ss.—Superior Court of Chicago, February Term, A. D. 1860. [illegible]
[illegible]
W. KIMBALL, Clerk.
W. T. BURSON, Pl'ff's Att'y.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Public Notice is hereby given that I, L. C. Paine Freer, Trustee named in a Deed of Trust executed by [illegible]
L. C. PAINE FREER, Trustee.
Chicago, November 28, 1859.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Cook, ss.—Circuit Court of Cook County, January Term, 1860. [illegible]
[illegible]

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Cook, ss.—Superior Court of Chicago, February Term, A. D. 1860. [illegible]
[illegible]
W. KIMBALL, Clerk.
WM. T. BURSON, Pl'ff's Att'y.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COOK County, ss.—[illegible]
[illegible]
WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.
MASON, TAFT & [illegible], Compl'ts Sol'rs.

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